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THE GREEKS LOSE ANOTHER BIG BATTLE.

After a Bloody Engagement Lasting Several Hours Edhem Pasha's Men Are Rewarded With Victory.

AN ADVANCE NOW ON VOLO.

Marines Landed from Foreign Warships to Save the Town.

FLIGHT OF THE GREEKS.

Their Army Split in Two and Smolenski's Retreat Cut off

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 8.—Edhem Pasha has telegraphed the Porte: "After a fierce battle and considerable force the Greek army at Velestino was utterly routed. We captured the town and afterwards captured the strategic points surrounding Pelatepe on the road to Volo. Our victorious army is now marching on that town."

TO SAVE VOLO.

Marines From the Warships of the Powers Are Landed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VELESTINO, May 8.—The Greeks have evacuated Volo.

Detachments of marines have landed from the British, Russian, French, Austrian and German warships to guard the town.

The foreign consuls have arrived to confer with Edhem Pasha, the Turkish commander.

As this dispatch is being sent the Turkish troops are entering Volo.

The Greeks who fled to Almyros will rejoin the main body of the Greek forces at Domokos.

A BLOODY FIGHT.

The Story of Edhem Pasha's Latest and Greatest Victory.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HEADQUARTERS TURKISH ARMY, THESSALY, PHARASLOS, May 7.—7 A. M.—Delayed in transmission.—Early today there was an engagement lasting several hours between the Turks and Greeks at Velestino.

The latter were beaten.

The Greek forces retreated in the direction of Volo, also on Almyros.

The Turks started in pursuit.

Later the Turkish division succeeded in forcing its way through the fourth and last line of the Greek entrenchments on the heights in the rear of Velestino.

The fight was of short duration.

Both sides fought with great courage and determination but the fire of the Turkish infantry decided the result.

Towards the end of the action the Turkish artillery fire was directed with the utmost accuracy, the battery commander taking a great deal more care in judging the distances.

The shrapnel fire was murderous almost every shell being accurately pitched.

The Turkish loss at Pharasolos was slight since only the advance guard of the Turks was engaged and skirmishers had the way cleared for them by the fire of the Turkish batteries.

The Turkish loss in the fighting at Velestino was the heavier.

The two hospitals at Larissa are almost filled with wounded.

TO BE NEUTRAL.

The Turks Are Requested Not to Occupy Volo.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATHENS, May 8.—The newspapers published a report yesterday that Volo had been declared a neutral port and the Turks therefore would not occupy it.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Skoulodis, is quoted as saying the Powers had not yet taken steps to communicate with the Greek Ministry on the subject of intervention, although it is understood the Powers are discussing some form of intervention.

He also said he knew nothing concerning the report that Volo would be declared a neutral port but added if the Turkish troops commit excesses in that town, Greece will take the measures demanded by the situation.

M. Skoulodis said the report of dissensions among the Ministers is absolutely false.

Volo has been completely evacuated by the Greeks.

A dispatch from Arta says: Fuad Bey, the Turkish commander, through a Greek priest at Arta, has issued a proclamation to the Christian population, ordering them to lay down arms as otherwise their villages would be burned. The environs of Kanja in Turkish territory are burning.

CUT IN TWO.

The Greek Army Now at the Mercy of the Turks.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The Turkish legation regards the Turkish advance to Volo as the most important and decisive movement since the war began.

It leaves the Greek army cut in two, with General Smolenski outflanked and unable to communicate with the main body of the Greek army under Prince Constantine.

The Turkish forces now occupy a line extending from Milouna Pass southward to Volo.

General Smolenski's army is east of this line with a Turkish army between him and Athens.

COMMUNICATION CUT OFF.

The Turkish Manoeuvers Outwitting Those of the Greeks.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 8.—A special dispatch to the Press from Athens says:

Turkish strategy again has been shown to be pre-eminent. After cutting the railroad from Pharsalos to Velestino at Avalli, a point near Pharsalos, thus intercepting communication between the right and left wings of the Greek army, they on Thursday morning made a successful drive through the Greek line of defense, threatening to divide the Greek army. This would have had the disastrous effect of shutting in the right wing of Prince Constantine's forces at Volo.

Advancing in a crescent shaped formation as they have done all through this campaign, the Turks out-flanked the Greek line on the west, making Pharsalos untenable and an immediate retreat necessary of the whole Greek line.

The Greeks' positions on their second line of defense were harassed. It is twenty-five miles from Pharsalos on their left to Velestino on their right, with mountainous country between. The Greek army was not large enough to cover a front so extensive. It was impossible for them to move troops quickly over difficult country, and when the Turks made a concentrated attack upon them from the plains, striking at one point, the Greeks were compelled to fall back, their whole line of defense being placed at once in a most perilous predicament.

Under cover of an artillery fire dropping shells incessantly into the Greek lines, the Turkish infantry stormed and captured the ridges around Pharsalos. The troops fought with a fiendish courage, and their movements, directed by the German officers, were executed with admirable military precision. The Greeks met them at first with a murderous rifle fire, and the Moslem losses were terrible—for heavier than those of the Greeks.

The retreat of the right wing of the Greek army, under General Smolenski was conducted in perfect order.

The retreat of the left wing of the Greek army from Pharsalos was not made in such good order.

The Greek army will have no trouble in concentrating again at Domoko, where another stand will be made.

It is asserted that the heavy guns of the Greek fleet will be able to prevent the Turks forcing the pass of Thermopylae, but if the warships are moved south to this essential strategetical point the town of Volo would be taken easily by the Turks. Even today (Friday) a hurried exodus is going on from Volo in anticipation of its occupation by Edhem Pasha's troops.

Few Christians still remain in the evacuated territory of Thessaly. Peasants are flying south in consternation, abandoning their household effects and leaving the invaders to trample under foot in their ruthless advance the fields of ripening grain.

SAN FRANCISCANS LEAD.

California Turners Do Good Work at St Louis.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 8.—The plans of the National Turn Fest were disarranged this morning by the rain. It did not interfere with the individual contests, which were held in the booths and buildings on the Fair grounds, but the field exercises, left unfinished from yesterday, could not be continued until the grounds had dried up somewhat. There are still fifty-nine societies whose members had not taken part in the 100 yard foot race. If these cannot be run off the whole affair will be called off. The rehearsal of mass exercises with wands was done away with entirely on account of the wet grounds. In fencing, there were thirty contestants with foils and eight with sabres. Individual competitions, far jumping, pole vaulting and hand climbing were pulled off between showers. So far New York, San Francisco and Denver are showing up best among visitors.

WENT AGAINST THE LAW.

Strikers Must Not Interfere With the Rights of Others

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CLEVELAND, O., May 8.—A knock-out blow to the strikers of the Consolidated Steel Company was delivered by Judge Sage in the United States Circuit Court this morning.

He allows a temporary injunction against them to stand.

Judge Sage maintained that proof was conclusive that violence had been done by the men in the employ of the company. He said the Rod Mill Workers' Union was the fountain-head of the trouble, and that it was clear that the strikers had interfered with the lawful right of the company.

Since the temporary injunction was granted the company has not been molested.

POLICE PICKINGS.

Many Matters Are Brought Up Before Judge Allen.

N. P. Jansen, proprietor of the Louvre, has forfeited $30 bail for selling liquor after 12 o'clock. The accused was absent from the city at the time of the alleged offense.

Gee Boo, a Chinaman arrested for selling lottery tickets, was allowed to go on $10 bail. He will be tried May 10th.

The trials of Henry Schmidt, for obtaining goods from P. Linderman under false pretenses and of Mrs. W. W. Dames for boxing the ears of Dr. Stimpson's daughter, Ruby, have been set for May 15th.

W. A. Ayers, once a prosperous merchant of this city, who has lately eked out a precarious existence by selling lottery tickets was arrested for that offense last evening. He will be tried May 10th.

A. Cukisiriki, the Jap whose wooden ash barrel was the cause of the fire in the Chinese wash house at 422 Fifth street, has forfeited $10 bail. He was arrested for violating the fire ordinance relating to wooden ash barrels.

THE VICTIM'S NEGLIGENCE.

The Suit of Finnigan Is Won by the O. C. R. R. Co., the Defendant.

The damage suit against the Oakland Consolidated Railroad by G. F. Cavalli, executor of the estate of M. J. Finnigan, came to a sudden termination this morning. The attorneys finished their arguments last night and this morning Judge Hall charged the jury.

The twelve men and true, retired for a few minutes and then returned with a verdict for the company. It was shown in the final testimony introduced that Finnigan had been drinking and was presumably under the influence of liquor at the time he was struck by the car. A question also arose as to whether the blow received was the cause of death. Some of the medical experts examined declared it was not the fracture of the skull that killed the man and it was intimated that injuries received after Finnigan had been arrested were responsible.

On the ground of contributory negligence, the jury brought in the verdict.

SUING FOR A SALARY.

Testimony in the Case Against the Publishers of "Echoes."

The suit brought by A. May, a solicitor for the "Echoes" against its proprietors F. H. Robinson and J. A. Connor is on trial before Judge Clift today. May sues to recover $106 40 for his services. The testimony taken during the morning, tended to show that May devoted only part of his time to work on the paper and according to agreement was to receive 25 per cent of all the business he brought to the office. Connor, Robinson, May and a typesetter, Miss Carpenter, testified.

Judge Clift rendered judgment this afternoon for the plaintiff in the sum of $59.10.

BEACH SUICIDES.

Ill Health Causes a Wealthy Man to Tire of Life.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 8.—E Kellogg Beach, a retired capitalist, committed suicide today in the bathroom of his home by shooting himself in the mouth. Despondency over ill health is supposed to have been the cause. Beach was a graduate of West Point. His fortune is estimated at $1,500,000.

Got Story Twice.

Word comes from Pittsburg, Pa., that John M. St. Peter, who eloped with a woman and her child and came to Oakland, where he was arrested for embezzling $800 belonging to the Window Glass Workers' Association of Pittsburg, has been given sixty days' imprisonment and fined 5½ cents.

WHERE WILL THEY GO?

Oakland Militiamen Are Undecided About Camping.

COMMITTEES ARE AT WORK.

The First and Fifth to Settle a Knotty Question.

SAN JOSE BEING BOOMED.

Ukiah and Santa Rosa Have Also Made Offers.

The committees from the First and Fifth Infantries appointed to select suitable sites for their respective organizations have been hard at work during the past week, and will probably make their reports during the coming week.

Although no site has been definitely decided on by either regiment, it is pretty well understood that the Fifth Infantry officers are showing a strong partiality to San Jose, and there is no doubt that the residents of the Garden City will gladly welcome the State soldiers.

Santa Cruz, which at first seemed to stand the best show of getting either or both the First and Fifth regiments, is now likely to be scratched from the list of probable camping places of both organizations. The people of Santa Cruz, as has already been announced, have offered splendid inducements to General Muller's brigade, and are encouraged in believing that it will camp there.

The town, in addition to furnishing a camp site, fodder and water, has agreed to give the brigade a bonus of $1,000. General Muller and Colonel Wright have promised to accept this offer providing that reasonable transportation rates can be secured. If not, the brigade is likely to go into camp at Good Water Grove at Stockton.

The citizens of Santa Cruz have made a similar offer excepting the $1000 bonus to the First Infantry, but the officers of that regiment, it seems, do not take as kindly to the proposition as was hoped by those who made it. The officers claim it is not because a bonus unaccompanies the effort, for they say that they purpose to go where the best interests, from a military standpoint, of the regiment will be served.

The old camping grounds at Santa Cruz, where the famous Battle of Tripe Hill was fought, were only recently plowed up, and the owner wants $100 for their use for a week. In consequence, the citizens of the town had to find another site for General Muller's brigade on the flats adjoining the old bath house.

Officers of the First Infantry, who are experienced in selecting camp grounds, claim that the Santa Cruz site is not a suitable one for military purposes in that it is poorly protected against the winds and fog from the sea and portions of the land is believed to be too soft to permit hard drill exercises.

Another objection is that the site is practically situated in the town, and they much prefer a location some distance from civilization, where guard lines can be properly established and the camp made particularly destructive.

In short, the officers are in favor of going to some place where the regiment will have an opportunity to confine itself strictly to military drill and have less of the social functions which have marked past camps so distinctly.

It is mainly for these reasons that the committees appointed by the First Infantry regiment has, so it is said, been carefully considering offers made by Ukiah and Santa Rosa.

The officers of the Fifth also share similar views and favor selecting San Jose, because it can give them an excellent camping ground some distance from the town.

Transportation, however, cuts quite a figure in the selection of sites, and until both regiments can hear something definite from Sacramento regarding the amount of money they will be allowed, they will not announce their favored places.

Arrived.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAMBURG, May 8.—Arrived: The Normania from New York for Plymouth, the Mannheim from New York.

LIVERPOOL.—The Britannic and Nomadic from New York.

BREMEN—The Dresden from Baltimore.

GENOA—The Fulda from New York.

NEW YORK—The Ehuria from Liverpool.

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TWO MEN DROWNED

One Lost His Life Looking for the Other's Body.

SAD TRAGEDY AT STOCKTON.

John Robinson and Chris. Johnson Die in a Lake.

THE DAY ON THE COAST.

Mrs. William Soule Commits Suicide While out Visiting.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

STOCKTON, May 8.—Two men were drowned in McLeod's lake this forenoon shortly before 11 o'clock by a strange coincidence.

One was a young man named John Robinson, who left his home in Antioch a day or two ago, to go to work on the barge Katie.

As he was unloading cord wood from the barge this forenoon he tripped on the gang plank and fell into the water between the barge and the wharf.

A piece of weed fell on his head and must have stunned him for although a good swimmer, he did not rise again.

Shortly afterwards Chris Johnson, fireman on the steamer Clara Crow, which towed the barge, jumped off the boat and was drowned.

He was under the influence of liquor and it is supposed in his stupor he thought he could recover the remains of Robinson.

He was one of the oldest steamboat men on the river.

A BIG DEFICIENCY.

San Francisco Runs Many Thousands of Dollars Behind.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 8.—How the city Board of Supervisors is to pay the remainder of the city's expenses during the balance of the fiscal year was the question under discussion today at the joint meeting of Supervisors and the heads of the municipal departments. The city officials were appealed to for and by the Supervisors in the way of suggestions for reductions in expenses, but all the heads of the departments said that not a single subordinate could be spared and no relief in the form of a decreased staff or salary was admitted possible.

Mayor Phelan will perosnally conduct an investigation to see what saving can be effected, it is estimated that the deficiency exceeds $100,000.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

An Electrical Storm Plays Lots of Havoc in Washington.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SPOKANE, May 8.—News has reached here of an electrical storm which occurred near Chewelah, Washington, Thursday, in which two girls, Miss Lutie McCormick and Laura Boller, were badly injured.

They were returning from school and took refuge under a large pine tree.

A bolt of lightning struck the tree and the girls were knocked senseless.

They were also badly burned but will probably recover.

Several others were knocked down by the lightning and three head of cattle were killed.

SUICIDED WITH POISON.

A Prominent Resident of Woodland Ends Her Life.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WOODLAND, Cal., May 8.—Mrs. William Soule, of this city, committed suicide by taking strychnine this morning, at the residence of Mrs. Joe Paul, her sister, in Winters.

Ill health and despondency on account of business reverses were the causes.

LOTS OF SCANDAL.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CARSON, Nev., May 8.—In the Heney mortgage case growing out of the Mint scandal a sensation seems imminent. District Attorney Jones stated in court that he would prove conspiracy on the part of the defendants as well as perjury.

NOW FOR THE FILL.

The Obliteration of the Marsh to Begin Next Monday.

The dredging at the West Oakland Park will be commenced Monday. Everything has been put in readiness for the work.

The territory to be filled comprises that which is to be used as a park, bounded by Seventeenth, Twenty-second, Wood and Campbell streets, also the surrounding land, which now is, and for many years has been a pestilential quagmire.

The work will be done by Captain John Hackett.

Judge Clift married a young couple from San Francisco this morning. They were Leon Hartman Lobenstein and Rosa Lobenstein.

CIVIL SERVICE.

The Senate Committee Gives the Subject Some Attention.

VIEWS OF CERTAIN OFFICIALS.

Several Amendments Are Suggested by the Agents.

CASES OF ALLEGED ABUSE.

A Free-Silverite Resigns So as Not to Oppose McKinley.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The Committee on Civil Service of the Senate today resumed the investigation of the operations of the law.

Senators Pritchard of North Carolina and Chilton of Texas and President Proctor and George R. Wales of the Civil Service Commission conducted the proceedings.

Several letters from Government officials giving opinions of the law were read.

Secretary Bliss recommended that each Commissioner of a department have the right to appoint a private secretary or a confidential clerk and the chief clerk of the department and the chiefs of division will be exempted from classified service.

The appointment of special agents, such as land, timber and mineral land Commissioners, and particularly a special Indian Agent, he wrote, should be more directly under the control of the Secretary, who is responsible for them. He suggested an Examining Board of a secretary and four Commissioners, to make special examinations for such offices.

Commissioner of Pensions Evans and Commissioner Herman of the General Land Office recommended that the chief clerk, appointment clerk, private secretary, chiefs of pension and examiners and inspectors be exempt from classified service.

Director Wolcott of the Geological Survey and Wade Hampton, the Commissioner of Railroads, recommended the continuance of the present law.

Thomas Robinson, a $1,600 Treasury clerk, complained that he had been dismissed on demand of Georgia Senators because he had printed the only Republican newspapers in Georgia during Grant's second campaign.

William W. Hill, former assistant superintendent of free mail delivery, charged that there had been collusion between the Postoffice Department and the Civil Service Commission to violate the law by the employment in 1894 and in 1895 of fifty-nine spies, termed inspectors, whose employment was not authorized by law.

Two inspectors, Hill asserted, were brothers of Machen, the superintendent of the free delivery service.

One brother had been under charges of embezzlement in Toledo, Ohio, when appointed, and another appointee had been dismissed from the Washington Postoffice for embezzling the funds of the Letter Carriers' Association.

RESIGNED A PLACE.

A Michigan Man Who Believes in Having Free Silver.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Henry A. Robinson of Michigan, the statistician of the Agricultural Department tendered his resignation today.

Robinson is an ardent free silver man and said that he thought it only right that the Administration should have the office at its disposal. The office pays $3,000 a year and is protected by the civil service law.

Secretary Wilson appointed John Hyde of Nebraska, well-known as the agricultural expert of the eleventh census to succeed Robinson.

THROUGH A BRIDGE.

Wreck of a Train Without the Loss of Any Lives.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PUEBLO, Colo., May 8.—Passenger train No. 6 East bound on the Santa Fe railroad, due here at 7 o'clock this morning, went through a bridge over the Arkansas river at Lamar at 3 o'clock this morning.

The engine, mail car, baggage car, chair car and smoker went into the river, two sleepers only remaining on the track.

The Engineer, John Madigan, who stuck to his post, had one rib broken.

Two tramps, whose names are unknown, were stealing a ride on the pilot. One had an arm and the other a leg broken. Nobody else was injured.

A flood caused by heavy rains undermined the foundations of the bridge.

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SUPERINTENDENT CLARK SUED.

Chas. Robinson Asks $10,000 for a Broken Leg.

AN ODD STORY IS TOLD.

Dr. Clark Says Robinson at the Time Was Drunk.

Charles L. Robinson is about to commence suit to recover $10,000 damages from Dr. Clark, Superintendent of the County Infirmary.

Robinson is a blind man and says that his grievance dates back to July 13, 1895.

On that day he was an inmate of the Infirmary. According to his story he was lying in his bunk when he heard the sound of some one moving in the opposite bed. The bunk in question belonged to his partner and he spoke to him.

There was no answer but the rustling sound continued.

Robinson became suspicious and asked "Who's there?"

He was still unanswered so determined to find out what was going on he got out of bed and groped his way towards the opposite bunk.

While he was thus occupied he says that Dr. Clark entered the apartment and ordered him back to bed.

He refused to go, whereupon, according to his complaint, Dr. Clark seized and forced him back with such violence that he broke his leg.

During the next few months he therefore remained in the Infirmary to have his leg treated, and for the damage caused and the time thus lost he now asks the $10,000.

Dr. Clark is not alarmed at the suit. He says that at the time the incident referred to occurred Robinson was drunk, and that while he was endeavoring to induce the patient to lie down Robinson fell and broke his leg.

FOUGHT A DUEL.

German Combatants Sustain Severe Wounds on the Hands.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VIENNA, May 8.—A duel with sabres was fought today between Herr Wolff, a member of the lower house of the Reichsrath who introduced the motion submitted by the German Nationalists to impeach Badeni, the Minister of Foreign Affairs and nearly all the other ministers for violating their powers in issuing a decree authorizing the official use of the Czech language in Bohemia, and M. Herica, Czech, deputy.

Both combatants were wounded in the hands.

The dispute grew out of a debate Thursday last, when Dr. Wolff described Czechs, Slavonians and others as being an "inferior race."

ANOTHER SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

RICHMOND, Va., May 8.—N. W. Nelson, aged 77 years, president of the Metropolitan Bank of Richmond, was found dead in his bathroom this morning with the gas turned on. He had been a great sufferer.

Justice Suits.

Thomas Ward has filed suit against M. E. and Frank Cassegring in Judge Wood's court, in which he seeks to recover $150.

Charles A. Dozier has brought suit against Louis Nordhausen as executor of the late C. C. Nordhausen's will, in which he asks for $150 for medical services. The suit has been brought in Judge Wood's court.

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THE REGENTS' SECRETARY

Oakland Candidates Still Have an Eye on the Place.

A Resolution Which Will Limit the Number of Eligibles.

The Regents of the State University will meet next Tuesday and the election of a secretary is the most important business that will come before them.

There are many applicants for the position but, owing to a resolution adopted by the Board of Regents a few weeks ago, the number of eligibles is extremely small compared with the total number of applicants.

Regent Rodgers introduced a resolution requiring that the secretary of the Board must be a practical agriculturist and as there are very few who will answer this requirement, the contest has narrowed down.

Dr. W. C. Bartlett and Principal McChesney of the High School are considered to be strong candidates but under the new ruling neither of these gentlemen can be considered eligible.

It is not impossible, however, that the rule may be rescinded, although it is very probable that its introduction was significant of something that will not be learned till the appointment is made.

COURT NEWS

In the suit of Aurelia James and Cornelia E. Booth against the Oakland Bank of Savings and Grant I. Taggart and O. S. Montgomery, executors of the will of Francis Bell, the attorneys this morning settled the bill of exceptions, prior to an appeal to the Supreme Court. The plaintiffs are sisters of the late Frances Bell and the three held a joint bankbook. When death removed one of them, the bank refused to turn over the money to the others and a suit followed.

Judge Ellsworth gave a decision in favor of the executors of the estate, who sought possession of the coin, holding that the other names appearing on the bank-book did not separate it from the deceased's estate.

Gustave Muller of Alameda, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon on Lee John, changed his plea of guilty, to not guilty this morning. The case will be tried on June 2d.

James R. Williams, the self-confessed burglar, was sentenced to two years in San Quentin this morning by Judge Ogden. Attorney Barber appeared for the man and asked the leniency of the court for the prisoner, as he is suffering from a disease, which may cause his death by long confinement.

Williams stole some chickens from a Fruitvale hen roost, in order to obtain money with which to buy medicine. He confessed his guilt shortly after the arrest.

J. A. Haste has sued J. C. Franklin and Joseph A. Leonard to recover an oriental marine engine of twenty horse power, valued at $600 and for $100 damages in retaining it without the plaintiff's consent.

Mrs. Constance Grebe has been appointed guardian of her husband William Charles Grebe, the insane San Leandro cigar maker.

The Auditing Committee of the Non-Partisan party of Alameda, composed of Henry Muller, M. W. Simpson, Ed Houster, Frank Hally and H. A. Thompson, has filed its statement of expenses with the County Clerk. It shows that $290 had been received and that $289.75 had been expended.

The Bank Statement.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 8.—The weekly bank statement shows as follows: Reserve, decrease, $4,812,650; loans, decrease, $911,600; specie, increase, $240,000; legal tenders, decrease, $6,680,200; deposits, decrease, $6,502,600; circulation, decrease, $329,000. The banks hold $44,095,975 in excess of requirements.

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The Day Observed in the Metropolis as One of Great Sorrow.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

PARIS, May 8.—A requiem mass for the repose of the souls of the victims of the fire in the charity bazaar was celebrated at noon today in the Cathedral of Notre Dame.

The square in front of the cathedral was densely packed.

The interior was heavily draped with black relieved by silver embroideries and the main doorway was draped with a huge pall spanning the building, silver edged with ermine and raised on either side by silver loops.

Above the doors were escutcheons with the initials "R. F."

An imposing catafalque covered with flowers erected in front of the choir, contained the remains of the Comtesse de Jallin and Madame Julian.

Conspicuous among the floral tributes were magnificent wreaths sent by the Emperor and Empress of Germany and the Russian colony in Paris.

President Faure occupied a raised platform, and behind were the families of the victims, diplomats and other notabilities.

Mgr. de Lescaille officiated at the mass.

Father Ollivier preached the sermon, taking for his text the words: "Blessed are they who have passed from life doing good."

The majority of the large stores in Paris were closed during the services.

THIRTY-THREE SENTENCES

Fred Kent Goes to Jail Again With a Smiling Face.

The Fate of a Young Man Who Once Had Brilliant Prospects.

One of the most eccentric individuals the Oakland police have ever had to deal with is Fred Kent, better known to the urchins along Broadway as "Trilby," who, for the thirty-third time, was given three days for drunkenness in the Police Court this morning.

"You didn't stay out long," said Judge Allen when Kent arose in the dock to plead guilty.

"No, I didn't," Kent answered.

Then the judge gave him the usual three days. Kent was released after serving five days last Tuesday morning.

He has a strange, pathetic history. He began drinking when quite young and the habit soon had a strong hold upon him. When sober he is quite a bright fellow, intelligent and well educated. When drunk he is an idiot. Sometimes he stands on his hands in the middle of the street. Then he will imagine himself a top and will go spinning around and around till he falls from sheer exhaustion.

When he is serving time in the prison, Kent is always allowed to help Janitor Wilds around the building, his trade being that of house cleaner.

As soon as he gets out of jail he works till he has saved enough to go on a debauch. The next day he is generally in jail.

"The money I earn is my own," he says, "I enjoy getting drunk, and as long as I injure no one else I'm going to do it."

Time was when Kent had a brilliant future before him. He was a young law student with a wealthy parent, when the drink habit took hold of him. His landlady, who knew him in better days, and who lives across the street from the prison, on San Pablo avenue, always worries about him when he is away. Each morning she looks out of her window to the bars of the city prison. When Kent is arrested he waves his handkerchief to her through the bars and she knows he is safe for a few days.

Chicago Hogs.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 8.—Hogs, light, $3.80@$4.00; mixed, $3.80@$3.95; heavy, $3.50@$3.92½; rough, $3.50@$3.65; cattle quiet; unchanged; sheep, 3,500, steady; native sheep, $3.50@$4.75; westerns, $3.60@$4.75; lambs, $3.50@$5.40.

Chicago Grain.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 8.—Wheat, May, 73 7-8@73¾; July, 72¾; corn, May, and July, 24 7-8; oats, May, 17 1-8; July, 17 5-8; pork, May, $8.60; July, $8.62; lard, May, $4.02; July, $4.05@$4.07; ribs, May and July, $4.67@$4.70.

San Francisco Grain

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 8.—Wheat steady. December, $1.26⅝. Cash (spot) $1.35 to $1.37½.

Hill & Egan, grain and commission brokers, 648 Ninth street, Oakland. Telephone 126 Main.

Oakland, May 8, 1897.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July Wheat	70⅞-71⅛	72½	70⅞	72¼
July Corn	24⅝-¾	24⅞-25	24⅝	24⅞
July Pork	8 67	8 70	8 62	8 62

Curb July Wheat 72¼; puts 70⅝, calls 74⅛.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET REPORT

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	115⅛	115¾	115⅛	115⅛
Tobacco	70⅝	71	70⅝	71
C. B. & Q.	74⅝	74½	74⅛	74⅛
Chicago Gas	83½	83½	81⅞	82
E. G. Electric	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
Manhattan Con.	82	82½	82	82½
Northwestern	104	104	104	104
Rock Island	63¼	63⅝	63¼	63¼
St. Paul	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝	73½
Western Union	76¼	76⅝	75⅝	76
Jersey Central	77¾	78½	77¾	78½

LICENSED TO MARRY

John Vincente Starr, Haywards....30
Rosa Joseph Farra, Hayward....18
Frederick Jonh Lea, Oakland....30
Martha Griswold Ludlow, Oakland..22
Brown Gillaspie, San Leandro....29
Mabel Jenkins, Elmhurst....17
Charles Francis Hanning S. F....22
Teresa Celia Hogan, S. F....21
Oscar Jose Soulo, San Lorenzo....29
Filomenos Sylvia Sampson, San Lorenzo....28
David Mack Berry, Vallejo....25
Martha Robinson, Alameda....24
Leon Harriman Lobenstein, Cedar Rapids....24
Rosa Lobenstein, San Francisco....21
Emanuel George, Centerville....31
Ruby Helen Perry, Centerville....21
Loren Wright Morgan, Oakland....22
Elsie Voekel, Oakland....21
Frank Joseph Peters, Oakland....26
Mabel Caroline Whitaker, Oakland..17

HOLOCAUST THREATENED.

Students at the Aztec Exercises Enveloped in Flames.

A Narrow Escape From What at One Time Seemed to Be Cremation.

At the Aztec exercises at Berkeley this afternoon an accident happened, which at once time threatened to cause a stampede and a certain loss of life.

As mentioned elsewhere, the platform on which the exercises were held in Ben Weed amphitheater was covered with cheesecloth.

In the ritual fire was used to symbolize cremation.

The blaze became more intense than had been anticipated and set fire to some of the staging.

It assailed parts of the platform on which some of the participants were standing.

It seemed as if it would so burn the supports as to precipitate those standing above to the ground.

Many of the men jumped in to extinguish the flames, and in doing so, their gownals caught fire.

This caused a shriek of horror among the onlookers, who felt that the symbolized cremation would unfortunately be realized.

Other students rushed to the assistance of their brothers.

Gowns were torn off and it seemed as fast as they were pulled away other gowns also caught fire.

The men worked with courage and presence of mind and finally all the flaming gowns were extinguished.

A man named Page was the most completely enveloped in flames of all those present, and he happily was saved from serious injury by the timely work of his friends.

The exercises were then continued.

The thousands of spectators displayed great good sense and calmness during the ordeal.

LATER.

The fire broke out a second time a short while afterward and the exercises were abruptly stopped. The boys tore up part of the platform and extinguished the blaze.

A PISTOL BESIDE HIM.

The Body of a Dead Man Found Near the Infirmary.

Circumstances Seem to Show That Death Was the Result of Self-Murder.

The body of an unknown man was found on the hill back of the County Infirmary near San Leandro this morning by a friend of Dr. Clark, the superintendent of the Infirmary.

A pistol was found near the body and the case was supposed to be one of suicide.

The man had been dead two or three weeks.

The body was removed to San Leandro, where an inquest will be held at 9:30 o'clock next Wednesday morning.

When the remains were submitted to inspection in the undertaking rooms at the last mentioned place, none of the citizens or residents in the surrounding country were able to identify them.

The description of the dead man is somewhat limited, owing to the fact that decomposition had set in. He was 5 feet 10 inches tall and was apparently about 40 or 45 years of age.

He was a dark man and was dressed in a well worn coat of dark worsted, a black diagonal cloth vest, grey striped trousers, new shoes, No. 7, black cotton hose and black crochet necktie.

He wore an old slouch hat marked with the tag of Bernstein the hatter. In his possession was a two-foot rule and a small pocket rule and a revolver. On the third finger of his left hand he wore an initial gold ring. The initial was "R." and the ring was well worn. There was nothing else to indicate who the man was. His description does not tally with that of any one known to be missing.

Bernstein, the hatter above referred to, whom questioned by a reporter for the Tribune this afternoon, was unable to recall selling a hat to any man of the description of the dead man.

WILL NOT BE MOVED.

Wells Fargo & Co. Will Keep an Office in West Oakland.

The West Oakland branch office of Wells, Fargo & Company will not be removed as the Colmpany origjually intended.

The West Oakland Improvement Company sent a committee to wait upon the Wells, Fargo officials and their arguments were such as to induce the Company to reconsider its former decision. The committee consisted of William Christen, William Walsh, Jas. Hennebery, J. T. Colburn, J. W. Drake, John C. Bullock.

The office is in charge of A. Lobe, who is a most efficient officer, but the Company felt that the business was not sufficient to encourage them in keeping the office. On account of the strong protest of the West Oaklanders, the office will be continued.

SHORTRIDGE-GASHWILER.

Two Popular San Franciscans Whose Engagement Is Announced.

The Marriage Will Occur Ere the Summer Months Are Gone.

The announcement of the engagement of Samuel M. Shortridge and Miss Laura Leigh Gashwiler has just been made.

Both are popular in San Francisco society, and Mr. Shortridge is known throughout the length and breadth of the country as one of the leaders of the California bar.

Miss Gashwiler is a Native Daughter. She was born in San Francisco and received her early education at a convent there. Her father, whose death occurred about ten years ago, was one of the noted mining men of early days, and was engaged in many loading and profitable ventures.

After Miss Gashwiler had graduated from her local training, she went to the seminary of the Ladies of the Sacred Heart in Manhattanville, New York State, and afterwards to the Convent of the Sacred Heart in Paris. Then came a return to San Francisco, where in 1893 she graduated from Miss Lake's school. This was followed by another trip to Europe in company with her mother, brother and sister, and two years were spent doing the continent. Two years ago the family returned to their San Francisco home, where their social life has been restricted owing to the constant illness of Mrs. Gashwiler.

Miss Gashwiler is one of the belles of San Francisco. She is a typical American girl, glowing with life and beauty, and to these natural qualifications is added a long list of social and literary accomplishments.

Mr. Shortridge is too well known here to need extended comment. He was born in Iowa, his father being the Rev. Elias W. Shortridge and his uncle Abraham C. Shortridge, a celebrity in the educational world. He came to California in his youth and after graduating at the High School, San Jose, passed the examination for a teacher's certificate. He subsequently obtained a principalship in Napa and devoted all his spare time to reading law with such success that he easily graduated from the Hastings Law School when later on he went to San Francisco. From that time his success has been phenomenal. A born orator, a profound thinker and a man of ready wit, it did not take him long to forge his way to the front in the legal arena, and he has in the past few years been associated with some of the most notable cases in the State. In January, 1893, he formed a partnership with D. M. Delmas, and since that time has scored many fresh triumphs. He has a host of friends this side of the bay, who will be glad to extend congratulations over the happy epoch in his life that is now about to occur.

STARR KING OFFICERS.

A Woman Chosen to Act in the Position of President.

Excellent Reports Are Made of the Work of Last Year.

The Starr King fraternity of the First Unitarian Church held its annual business meeting and election of officers last evening. The reports of the retiring president, B. C. Cuvellier, and the retiring treasurer, Mrs. E. A. Kleugel, were decidedly encouraging, as they showed that the fraternity was entirely free of debt.

The election of officers resulted in a woman being chosen president for the first time in the history of the fraternity's twelve years of existence.

Mrs. Gleason, the new president, is a woman noted not only for charming social qualities, but also for her cleverness, tact and executive ability. The new officers are as follows:

Mrs. R. P. Gleason, president; F. H. Clark, first vice-president; Miss C. P. Lett, second vice-president; Miss Rachel Pope, treasurer; Miss Katherine Cutter, secretary; directors, Frank A. Fletcher, Miss Bertha Shafter, Mrs. Alfred Stebbins, Mrs. E. Kleugel.

Prior to the business meeting John L. Howard read a most interesting paper on roses and their culture.

MARKED AWAY DOWN.

A Rare Chance to Get the Best Crockery at Lowest Prices.

A rare opportunity is offered housekeepers to possess themselves of some fine crockery, China and glassware at actual wholesale cost, during the great remnant sale of the Great American Importing Tea Company at its various stores in Oakland and San Francisco.

Some of the finest wares are to be disposed of at a great sacrifice. There are jardenieres of antique patterns for 25 cents, Bohemian Chinaware from 3 cents to 95 cents a piece, according to the article, fancy bisque sets, Bohemian glass, genuine Delft China, porcelains of all description and glassware galore. In fact every conceivable article for the table or household decoration is to be seen and the prices are ridiculously low, when it is known that the goods are all of standard make.

The headquarters of the company are at 52 Market street, San Francisco, but for Oaklanders the six branch stores are most available. They are located at 1053 Washington street; 131 San Pablo avenue; 917 Broadway; 616 East Twelfth street; 1510 Seventh street; 1355 Park street, Alameda.

MASTICK RECEIVER.

An Appointment Made Against the Protest of the Defendant.

Thomas A. Smith was today appointed receiver of the Mastick property in Alameda, pending a suit to satisfy liens amounting to upward of $12,000. The property involved is Encinal Hall in Alameda, with the stores and offices connected with it. Mrs. Mastick has been seriously ill for the past three months and today her attorneys protested against the appointment of a receiver, or in fact against any action until she should be able to attend court. The case was set for trial September 7th.

A Small Fire.

The fire on Broadway at 8 o'clock last night was in the basement of Taft & Pennoyer's store. Chemical engine No. 1 responded to a call, but, on arriving at the store found that its services would not be needed. The fire was in a dry goods box which had been filled with waste paper.

The judicious use of a pure and wholesome stimulant is conducive to health. The famous old Jesse Moore Whiskey is absolutely pure.

CHOSEN AUDITOR.

Rod W. Church Is Appointed by the Realty Syndicate.

Rod W. Church was today officially appointed Auditor of the Realty Syndicate. He will assume his duties Monday.

The appointment was made by the Board of Directors through Frank C. Havens, the manager.

Mr. Church's duties will be of a general character with regard to the car lines operated by the syndicate and the lands under control.

He will have considerable outside work to do in his new position, and will handle many of the important projects of the syndicate.

In speaking of the appointment today, Mr. Church said:

"I do not know exactly what the duties of the office involve, but I don't believe my appointment has any particular significance with regard to any change of plans. There is no new scheme of any great importance on foot, to my knowledge."

Mr. Church is ably qualified for the position. He has been a public official for years past, and has fulfilled his trusts in a creditable manner. In political ranks he has always taken a front seat, and as a member of the Republican County Committee aided much in rolling up Alameda county's big majority for McKinley.

Mr. Church is both mathematician and an able manager, and his services will be very valuable to the Realty Syndicate.

A GOOD MAN CHOSEN.

Howard Wright Now Secretary of the California Company.

The Honors He Won at Sacramento Stand Him in Good Stead.

Assemblyman Howard E. Wright of Berkeley has been appointed secretary of the California Title, Insurance & Trust Company. He succeeds Harry D. Lawrie who retires to assume the management of another financial institution in San Francisco.

The selection of Mr. Wright will do much to enhance the popularity of the concern with which he has become allied. The last session of the Legislature in which he acquitted himself with marked honor and distinction won for him a host of friends and also secured for him the unbounded confidence of the business element. He was always to be found on the just side of every cause presented at Sacramento and he proved himself to be a rustler in every way by the splendid manner in which he got the University Bill through the Legislature. He is a man of sound sense and judgment and possesses a knack of making warm friends, and what is better, of keeping them. He is idolized at the University on account of the work he did in behalf of that institution and if his election were held over again he would get the solid vote of the college town.

In business life, Mr. Wright is well known. He was formerly engaged in the underwriting line with H. M. Newhall & Company and other prominent houses and made a record that attracted the attention to him that has culminated in his present appointment. He will from now on have an opportunity to thoroughly show the stuff he is made of because the company of which he has become secretary is engaged in a very extensive business. Special attention is to be paid in the future to the operations of the loan and trust department and Mr. Wright will upbuild it in every way possible.

WHEATON RETIRES.

A Gallant General Seeks Rest After Years of Service.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, Col., May 8.—At noon today Brigadier and Brevet Major-General Wheaton retired from the army, having reached the age of 63 years of which forty-seven years have been spent in the service.

The officers and employes of the department of Colorado assembled at General Wheaton's office and bade him farewell.

He made appropriate remarks.

The General goes East tonight.

In August he will sail for Europe, where he will remain two years.

Colonel Merriam assumes command until General Otis arrives.

AN ECHO FAR AWAY.

The Adams Case Bobs Up in Syracuse, New York.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 8.—Overton Ward has instituted proceedings against his father-in-law, Waterman C. Bradley, for $100,000 for alienating his wife's affections.

Ward was married to Miss Bradley in 1886.

A year ago it became rumored he had been married to J. Isabella Adams, who was divorced from her husband in California.

A TIGHT GAME.

The Basket Ball Games at Stanford Results in No Score Being Made.

(Special to the Tribune.)

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, May 8.—The basket ball contest between the Oakland High School girls and the Stanford girls resulted in a tie.

The game was an exciting one and was witnessed by a crowded gathering of girls and women in the Stanford gymnasium.

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AN AWFUL VERDICT.

The case of R. Lane, accused of burglarizing the Bunker and Collins houses in Alameda, was concluded today in Judge Ogden's court.

The jury retired at noon and at 2 o'clock brought in a verdict of not guilty.

Such a decision was entirely unexpected, as the evidence of Lane's guilt was conclusive.

Judge Ogden seemed greatly displeased, and, in discharging the jury, remarked:

"Gentlemen of the jury, I hope you will never have to reap the rewards of such a verdict."

The prisoner was then taken to the County Jail to await trial for two other charges against him.

The prisoner is an ex-convict, having served a term of seven years in San Quentin for a similar offense.

THE COLEMAN FIRE.

The adjusters of the Milwaukee Mechanics' Insurance Company have been investigating the fire in the Coleman furniture store on Twelfth street, between Broadway and Washington streets. The adjustment will begin Monday. It seems to be the opinion of the adjusters that some youthful firebugs are plying their trade in Oakland. The Coleman fire and the one at the Benefit Bazaar on New Broadway the other night were both evidently caused by incendiaries, who were novices at the business, say the adjusters.

Died.

The death has been reported of Josephine Senelly, aged 65 years, at her home on Fortieth street near San Pablo avenue. The cause of death was heart failure.

LIFE IN THE FROZEN NORTH.

The only real, genuine Esquimaux in the United States is the little Miss of Kraner. She is only 40 inches high and weighs 120 pounds. The story of her life is like a fairy tale as she tells it. She sings the native songs and will dress in the native costume. She is an intelligent and agreeable lady withal. Her only appearance in Oakland will be at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium Tuesday evening. Reserved seats 25 cents.

P. Hansen Dead.

Peter Hansen, a native of Denmark, aged 50 years who died of paralysis at Sacramento, will be buried in Mountain View Cemetery, this city, tomorrow.

HAMMOCKS!

A hundred kinds, a hundred prices, at Meese's, 1009-1011 Washington st.

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Of Furniture and Carpets, at No. 518 East 24th St., Near 11th Ave., on Tuesday, May 11, 1897, at 2 O'clock P. M.

I shall sell the furniture, carpets and personal property of Mrs. Hannah Paine, deceased, including kitchen furniture, pictures, linens, etc., etc.

Terms cash. Sale absolute.

M. MARCUSE, Auctioneer.

PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE

Of Furniture and Carpets, at No. 668 Fourteenth St., Near Castro, Oakland, on Tuesday, May 11, 1897, at 10:30 A. M.

I shall sell without reserve in this top-room dwelling, the fine carpets and furniture, comprising good body Brussels hall, parlor and bedroom carpets, fine carved oak bedroom suit, walnut bedroom suits, hair top mattresses, wire and curled hair top mattress, odd parlor chairs, oak dining chairs, lounges, sofas, crockery, Fleetwood No. 7 range, patent kitchen table utensils, etc., etc.

Terms cash. Sale peremptory.

M. MARCUSE, Auctioneer.

BORN.

CROCKER—In this city, May 6, 1897, to the wife of Heiman Crocker, a son.

DIED.

HILL—In this city, May 6, 1897, James, beloved husband of Sarah A. Hill, a native of New York, aged 73 years, 9 months and 13 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral SUNDAY, at 2 o'clock P. M., from the hall of Lyon Post, No. 8, G. A. R., corner of Eleventh and Clay streets. Services under the auspices of Lyon Post, No. 8, G. A. R.

STOLP—In San Francisco, May 7, 1897, to the wife of F. A. Stolp, a daughter (stillborn).

GIBBONS—In Alameda, May 7, 1897, Elizabeth M. Gibbons.

IDEAL BREAKFAST FOOD.

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COLUMBIA BICYCLE, good as new, for sale or will exchange for diamond Apply at 900 Fifth ave., East Oakland

FOR SALE—Good second hand Wilshire Safe Apply 914 Washington st. F. J. Edwards.

AN ELEGANT NEW PIANO must be sacrificed at once can be seen at 711 Sixth st, near Castro st, before 11 A. M and after 6 P. M.

FIREWOOD for sale cheap at the Eighth st bridge

INCUBATOR for sale—A 250-egg incubator in perfect condition, is a 90 per cent hatcher, $17.50. A. Muchmore, 1055 Broadway.

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OFFICE TO RENT.

SUNNY FRONT OFFICE—First floor, Brown Building, 478½ Tenth.

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FOR EXCHANGE for Oakland improved or unimproved property, a 50 acre farm with fruits and vines, also house of five rooms and lot 50x100 in Goshen, Tulare county. Apply at once Benj W. Ferris, 902 Broadway, Oakland.

COMPETENT teacher will give piano lessons in exchange for thorough instruction in book-keeping. Louise Gerlach 23d avenue Postoffice, East Oakland

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DR CUMMING'S Magic Rheumatic Belt will cure the worst cases of rheumatism, will give $500 for any remedy that will equal it, call or write for testimonials of hundreds cured. Cummings Wonderful Persian Liniment will cure diphtheria, neuralgia, burns, sprains, bites of poisonous insects and poison oak Cummings' Perfect and Quick Cough Cure stops violent consumptive coughs in 3 to 10 days. Cancer cured without the knife No pay till cured. Office 873½ Market st., San Francisco.

A NEW PROCESS—No medicine or instrument used, every woman her own physician for all female troubles, no matter from what cause, restores always in one day, can be sent and used at home, positive cure, genuine new process can only be had at my office, advertised 20 years DR. POPPER, 818 Kearny street, San Francisco.

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D. L. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon; office Central Block, 1061 Broadway, Oakland.

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

A SITUATION WANTED by a competent child's nurse, best of references. Address 1022 Willow st., West Oakland.

WOMAN wishes housework by the day; washing, ironing, cleaning. 845 Harrison st.

MRS. HAROLD'S Employment Bureau, 515 Eighth street, furnishes first-class help of all nationalities at short notice.

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RESPECTABLE WOMAN wishes to work by day or week Address 829 Magnolia st

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WANTED—Your orders for male and female help of all kinds. Employment Bureau, 511 Thirteenth st., near Washington. Tel. Main 113

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Young Protestant girl to assist in light housework Apply 675 32d st

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COACHMAN ten years' experience; thoroughly competent, A 1 horseman, good gardener, strictly sober, city and Eastern references, single Address N P. Nelson care of F M. Wilson, Esq., Berkeley

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BICYCLE INSURANCE—Manager wanted who will personally and actively canvass every bicycle rider for the oldest association in the world, liberal compensation—$2 00 assures new bicycle if a member's is stolen Address, with references American Wheelmen's Protective Association, Chicago, Ill

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UNIMPROVED FOR SALE.

$175—Good lot 40x100 between Grove and West sts.

$350—Lot 41x132 (macadamized and sewered), Chestnut near Twenty-eighth st. Worth $500 Go and see it.

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S. A. HACKETT, D. D S, removed to 1168 Washington st, S. E cor, of 14th.

DR. CHAS F LEWRIS, Dentist, 25 Montgomery st., San Francisco, rooms 1-2-3, office hours 9 to 12 A. M, and 1 to 5 P M.

DR W E TAYLOR, Dentist, Central Bank building, rooms 201-224, hours 9-12 and 1-5, Tel 1381 Red.

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REAL ESTATE.

$7,000—Fine bargain; two story residence of nine rooms, on Webster street bet. Fourteenth and Durant; lot 74x150; land alone worth the price. Owner now in New York City. Has instructed us to make an offer. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co, 466 Eighth st.

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$900—Modern bay window cottage, four rooms, high basement; brick foundation, house insured for $1 200, a bargain $100 cash, $10 per month. Thirty-ninth st., near Grove Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

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$3,600, formerly $4 500—Modern cottage of six rooms, lot 25x150, perfect condition; exceptional central location, three blocks of Central Bank immediate sale wanted; owner going East, can arrange easy terms, this is choice, investigate it. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$3,500—New colonial residence, nine rooms and bath, good barn, lot 40x168, situated on beautiful elevated location near Twenty-third avenue, commanding landscape and marine view, house one year old, being sold for the bank, only $250 cash, $25 per month, exceptional opportunity; street work complete, one-half block of electric cars. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

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$2,000—Alameda, good lot 60x140, clear, fine location, to exchange for house in Oakland, will assume mortgage William J. Dingee 460 462 Eighth st, Oakland

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FOR SALE—At a bargain, owner retiring from business, a first class butcher shop with large refrigerator and heavy white marble counters, best paying route in Oakland, can be bought dirt cheap. Address P O Box 425 Oakland.

$7,000, general merchandise business, 70 miles from San Francisco, in Contra Costa county; splendid trade, good locality, everything arranged for carrying on a large business Address M. B. S, 509 San Pablo ave., Oakland.

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—A corner saloon with or without lodging house, splendid location, good opportunity for enterprising man, must sell on account of ill health. Address C. M., box 1, this office.

CITY REAL ESTATE.

ALMOST GIVEN AWAY — One or more lots on San Leandro car line, for sale very cheap; owner going to old country. Address P. G., box 4, Tribune office.

SNAP!—47 per foot, worth $15, beautiful lot 44x160, Clinton Mound tract, right in town, 12 min. from Broadway, charming view, healthy location, 3 min. from electric; must sell, owner going East. Address T. Ellis, this office.

REAL ESTATE.

$2,500—Best bargain ever offered, modern cottage, 5 rooms and bath, only three blocks from Washington st., right in heart of town; must be sold at once, easy terms to responsible party; this property is well worth $3,500.

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$5,000—Modern flats, 6 rooms and bath each; always rent, situate on Eighth st., a few blocks from Broadway, a splendid investment

$2,300—New modern 1½ story house containing 7 rooms and bath, situate in Latham Terrace, East Oakland, lot 40x123; cost owner $4,000.

$1,200—New modern cottage, 5 rooms and bath, situate in Locksley Square, near Telegraph ave, sunny exposure; 33½ foot lot, house insured for $1,200

$2,300 will buy two story house, 7 rooms and bath now and modern, situate close to Grove st

$2,300 each—Two new modern houses, 7 rooms and bath each with lots 43x150, Thirty-ninth st near Telegraph ave.

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BENHAM & THOMAS,

LIST OF BARGAINS.

$250—Fine lot, Golden Gate; easy terms.
$500—50 ft. lot, well located
$1,000—Two choice lots in Stockton.
$1 200—Modern cottage, large lot, Golden Gate.
$1,800—New cottage, E. 19th st.; large lot.
$3,000—Seven room cottage and barn, East Oakland.
$2,000—Two story house, five rooms, E. 17th st.
$2 500—Five room modern cottage, near business corner.
$3,500—Five room cottage and stable, large lot, 11th ave.
$6,500—Ten room modern house, adjoining business property.
$1 500—Five room house, 12th ave.; business property.
$1,750—Five room modern cottage, 19th ave.

DESIRABLE PROPERTIES FOR EXCHANGE.

$1 600—Clear ranch, 160 acres, Missouri.
$1,000—Five lots, Wichita, Kansas; clear.
$1 000—Block, 12 lots, Acton, Los Angeles Co.
$4 000—125 acres, Howell, Mt.
$5,000—Choice ten acre tract, Pasadena; clear.
$3 500—108 acres, Ben Lomond; clear.
$16,000—183 acres, near Concord; improved.
$1,250—80 acres Santa Cruz Mts.; clear.
32 100—160 acres, Tehama Co.
$1,750—Four acres, improved, near Los Gatos.
$3 500—Fifty acres, orange land Salermo.
$10,000—125 acres orange, alfalfa and grain and pasture land, plenty of timber, well watered and in irrigation district, good buildings, Yuba Co five miles from railroad, can be subdivided, this is a great bargain, will be sold or exchanged for Oakland or S F property
$4,500—480 acres stock and hog ranch.
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For rent—Furnished house, 6 rooms and bath, near Broadway, $40, with piano.

BENHAM & THOMAS.

Houses, cottages and flats for rent by A. J. Snyder & co., 467 Ninth st.

Two story house on Twenty-fifth st., 6 rooms and bath; make an offer.

Two story house north side of Twentieth st., 7 rooms, bath, worth $15, will take $15.

Cottage, 6 rooms, bath and barn, worth $18, will take $15, north side of Twenty-fourth st.

2 cottages, modern, 5 rooms and bath, on Twentieth st, price $18.

Upper flat on Fallon st, near Oak st. station, 6 rooms and bath, $15 Lower flat, 6 rooms, same location, $9. Further information, keys, etc.
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This property lies high and sightly.
Above grade of street.
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1758 SEVENTH ST., WEST OAKLAND.

$1,800—Nice modern cottage of 6 rooms, bath and high basement, on 10th st. near Center; lot 35x120. J. S. Colburn & Co., Real Estate, 1758 7th st.

$1,000—Will buy a cottage of 5 rooms and bath on Lincoln st. near Wood st.; lot 25 x125½. J. S. Colburn & Co., Real Estate, 1758 7th st.

$3,000—Cottage of 7 rooms and laundry; high basement; all modern improvements; on Poplar st. near 14th st.; lot 40 x135. J. S. Colburn & Co., Real Estate, 1758 7th st.

$1,850—House of 5 rooms; lot 37x90, N. E. cor. of Wood st. J. S. Colburn & Co., 1758 7th st.

$1,000—Installments of $20 per month, buys cottage of 5 rooms on Atlantic st.; lot 25 x150. J. S. Colburn & Co., 1758 7th st.

REAL ESTATE.

H. P. Moreal & Co. will have some profitable announcements of Alameda bargains here in a few days.

FOR SALE.

Modern house, seven rooms and bath; lot 40x115, a bargain, price $2,000; cost $3,250 to build, terms to suit.

Modern cottage, five rooms and bath; corner lot 100x150, worth $4,000, will sell for $2,000, an unequalled chance to get a good home.

A bargain in lots, only a few left; at the very low figure of $100 each, for cash.

—Apply to—

E. S. AUSTIN, - 1101 Twenty-third Ave.,

EAST OAKLAND.

PRYAL REALTY CO.'S SNAPS.

$2,000—Lot 44x110 feet, Telegraph ave., near city line Offer wanted

$2 500—House, 4 rooms and bath, lot 73x289 feet, orchard, barn, etc. College and Claremont aves.

$850—Unimproved lot 50x126 ft. on Telegraph ave near Alcatraz.

$11,000—Nine acres choice improved land, 6 room house, barn, outbuildings orchard, etc, in choice residence district, Claremont Berkeley. Easy terms

$5 250—Improved business property, 120 ft. frontage, on Telegraph avenue, terminus trolley line, opposite University, rare bargain, terms easy

Property for sale, exchange and rent in all parts of the city and adjacent counties.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Pair of gold rimmed eyeglasses with gold chain attached. Return to No. 1325 Jackson st. and receive reward

LOST—Wednesday afternoon, black ostrich feather boa, one yard long Finder to be liberally rewarded by leaving same at Smith's drug store, Oakland.

LOST—A gold chain bangle Friday evening, either on Thirteenth st. or Franklin st. Return to 870 Adeline st, and receive reward.

FOUND—On East Twelfth st. between Twelfth and Thirteenth aves, a small bay horse and open top buggy. Owner can get the same by proving property and paying expenses Constable J. W. Glaze, 617 East Twelfth st., East Oakland

LOST—White fox terrier, black and tan face and ears, name Dandy, liberal reward and no questions asked. Return to 875 Filbert st., cor. Eighth

LOST—Brown horse about ten years old; crack on left foot. Return to E. Campiun, Piedmont Reward.

FOUND—Cow, owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses. Call at 617 Magnolia st.

LOST—An overcoat near corner of Cypress and Sixteenth sts Finder return to 1665 Twelfth and receive reward.

GREAT CHANCE—For sixty days only, you can buy a beautiful lot in the Jones Tract, in the best part of Elmhurst; cement sidewalks, graded streets, city water, very low prices; $5 and $10 per month, without interest or taxes Every house built on this property rents at once, houses built on easy terms. See owner, A. Jones, Elmhurst, or L. L. M. Salsbury, agent Elmhurst Land Co., 468 Ninth st

GROCERIES.

CRAFT & RUSSELL—Grocers; buy at home and save money. 552-554 East Twelfth street, corner Eleventh avenue. Telephone 1011 Main.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

SCHILTZ MILWAUKEE BEER Depot, C. H Kucks, proprietor, 468 Twelfth st., Oakland, private entrance for ladies.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance requiring the disinfection and fumigation of residences and other places where contagious diseases have existed

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I

Whenever any case of smallpox, diphtheria, scarlatina Asiatic cholera, tuberculosis or other contagious disease has existed in any building or other place within the city of Oakland, it shall be the duty of the householder or proprietor of such place or, if such place has ceased to be occupied, then of the owner thereof, to immediately and thoroughly fumigate and disinfect said premises in the manner and to such extent as the Health Department may direct The fumigation and disinfection to be done at the expense of the city

SECTION II.

Every person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars, and in case such fine be not paid, then the person so fined shall be imprisoned at the rate of one day for every two dollars of the fine so imposed and remaining unpaid

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its approval

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton and President Pringle—10.

Noes—Mr. Watkinson—1.

Absent—None

Attest: J W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 8th, 1897.

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STRAY IDEAS.

Johanna, New York's celebrated chimpanzee, is said to be almost as intelligent as a policeman.

A factory at Oshkosh will twist up marsh grass into binding twine, a good deal like the name of that town is twisted.

A Kansas City man advertised recently that he would exchange a breech-loading shot gun for a good cow or typewriter, he didn't care which

A "spook" which proved to be a fresh young hoodlum in a white robe, was vigorously rapped over the head by two old maids whom he tried to scare at Morrisville, N. Y.

Benjamin Harrison's duties as a professional and family man will prevent him from acting as moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly at Winona this month.

A Lewiston woman died last week who was told twenty-six years ago by numerous physicians that she could live but a short time. Eight of those doctors died before she did.

The arrival at New York of 600 buxom Irish girls bound for the West, ought to simplify the 'help' problem and will give 600 housewives an opportunity to talk about their new servants.

Milton wrote:

Hail bounteous May, that dost inspire
Mirth youth and warm desire!
Woods and groves are of thy dressing,
Hill and dale doth boast thy blessing.

Some women found fault with Milton because he would not permit his daughters to learn foreign languages "Oh" he plied, 'one language is enough for a woman's tongue"

A Kansas City grain merchant who died a few weeks ago had a pleasant habit of every Christmas of mailing to the makers of them all the protested checks he got stuck on during the year, with his compliments indorsed on the back.

A stranger upon being presented to Speaker Reed asked his weight "Two hundred pounds,' was the reply. "You must weigh more than that," said the candid visitor. "No gentleman ever weighs more than 200 pounds," responded the Speaker solemnly.

SWEET THOUGHTS

Are sweeter when flavored by the pure candies made by Lehnhardt. At Lehnhardt's can be found all the latest novelties in confections Our candies are made of the purest materials and contain no deleterious substances. Broadway, near Fourteenth.

ABSORB INFORMATION.

Our sponges may not absorb information, but they will absorb water well, and absorb your interest when you know how cheap we are selling them Anthony's Pharmacy, Eighth and Peralta. Tel. 865 Red, five bells.

TRYING

To sell chemicals for liquor is dangerous fun. Buy drugs at a pharmacy; buy whiskies and wines (pure) at an honest liquor store. There are several such in Oakland. Ours is one of them. Jos. Becquet, N. W. cor. Washington and 13th sts.

HAIR SPECIALIST.

Henry C. Kuester, 1013 Washington street. Gray, falling, scalp troubles; positive remedies.

BAGS

and Twine at BROWN'S PAPER HOUSE, 417 Tenth street.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

No 4203.

In the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

It appearing to the satisfaction of said Court by the duly verified petition this day presented and filed by P F Benson and E. M Paterson, the executors of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased, and the debts, expenses and charges of administration:

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said Superior Court on Monday, the 14th day of June, A D 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M of said day at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No 4, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said executors to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said Alameda county.

Dated May 7th, 1897.

F B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance ordering the opening and widening of East 21st street, between 10th avenue and a line parallel with and 296 5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue, and appointing three Commissioners to have general supervision of the proposed work.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows.

SECTION I

Whereas The said Council did, on the 16th day of November, 1896, adopt its Resolution of Intention No 22,586 declaring its intention to order the following work and improvement to be made, to-wit That East Twenty-first street, in the city of Oakland, be opened and widened between the western line of Sixteenth avenue and a line parallel with and 296 5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue describing the work to be done and the land and premises deemed necessary to be taken therefor and specifying the exterior boundaries of the lands to be affected and benefited by said work and improvement, and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof, and

Whereas The Street Superintendent of the city of Oakland did thereupon cause notice of the passage of said Resolution to be posted and published for ten days in the manner and as required by law, and

Whereas More than ten days have elapsed after the expiration of the time of publication of said notice and no objections have been made or filed to the work therein referred to, and the Council has acquired jurisdiction to order said work to be done; now therefore it is hereby ordered that said work and improvement be done as aforesaid referred to, and in said Resolution of Intention specially described.

SECTION II

Chas. H Daly, Samuel Swift and F H. Brunker are hereby appointed Commissioners to assess benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement until the completion thereof in compliance with law.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal, May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 8th, 1897.

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PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND PARK.

May 9th—Picnic and moonlight festival of the United South German Societies of San Francisco.

UNION LABEL

SATURDAY.....MAY 8, 1897.

They don't give actresses a chance in China. Women are not allowed to be photographed in that country.

Who wants to lend Spain $00,000,000 for blood money? She wants that sum to continue her campaign in Cuba.

Judging by the wrangles between the attorneys, nearly every witness in the Fair-Craven case gets a cursory examination.

What a retiring disposition the Crocks possess. They are so bashful they won't even go on the same field as the Turks.

Eight additional letter carriers have been granted to Los Angeles, and this should be considered by people who want increased delivery service here, and who transact their postal business in San Francisco.

Idaho has just passed a law that will undoubtedly be declared unconstitutional. It provides that none but citizens, or those who have declared their intention to become citizens, may be employes in the mines.

Wilhelm Oppenmann evidently thinks he is a long way from being worth the proverbial weight in gold. He has offered to sell his body to the San Francisco Board of Health for $200. This is only a little over $1 a pound.

There are lots of people who won't believe the following incident which is detailed in the morning's dispatches: "I saw a Turk wounded in the leg advancing to the attack on all fours.' If by any chance it is true, it was probably in response to an order to "form fours."

The members of Cleveland's Cabinet were not in it for their health. Olney, Carlisle and Lamont have been rewarded for their services to the bond syndicate by big-salaried positions on Wall street. Cleveland's bank account, by the way, is said to be in the six figures.

The Sacramento Bee looked around for another "thank God" incident. It found it by announcing that it would no longer tell lies about its contemporaries every time they completed a volume. Now every paper in the State is referring to, and commending the Bee's attitude. Shrewd Bee.

The Goulds are having a hard time trying to dodge paying taxes. They moved to Tarrytown in the hope of being leniently treated there, instead of which the assessment they tried to evade has been quadrupled. One thing is certain, they won't get much public sympathy in their hour of distress.

Experience has shown how great is the value to a city of being chosen as the place for a State convention or coast gathering. It brings money, it arouses wide interest and causes the name of the city to be heard on every hand. Oakland should get as many of these gatherings as possible this summer.

The Greeks had better take a few lessons in rifle practice. "Three Turkish soldiers," say today's dispatches "stood together in advance of their commander while a whole battalion of Greeks fired at them. They did not condescend to stoop or lie down, but fired coolly away until skirmishers came to their help." There was nothing to be gained by moving as long as the Greeks couldn't hit them.

The Stanford professors do not place much faith in the stories that a savant has discovered that crystals contain living organisms. "Such a story could emanate only from an insane asylum," says one of the Palo Alto faculty. "It is incredible and unscientific, and does not merit attention or discussion." At the State University they also ridicule the idea of organic life in crystals, though they admit that they grow by the addition of atom to atom.

President McKinley is made of the right kind of stuff. He has refused the petition of an applicant for the Consulship at Brussels who urged as a reason for his appointment that he wanted to reside there in order to educate his daughter at a Belgian Seminary. To this McKinley said: "That is not a good reason for his appointment. Consuls are not appointed for any such purpose. Besides there are colleges in this country plenty good enough for American girls."

A Horticultural Commission has been appointed by the Supervisors of San Bernardino County. It consists of a Populist, a Democrat and a Republican. This causes the Santa Ana Blade to remark that as these commissioners are the official bug-exterminators of the county, the Populist will, no doubt, proceed to the task of crushing the gold bugs; the Democrat, if he be of the gold persuasion, will attempt to squelch the silver bugs, while the Republican, as becomes the principle to which he adheres, will be chairman of the Committee on Suppression of humbugs.

OUR LOCAL RESORTS.

The arrival of the summer season and with it the search for outdoor resorts brings to mind the many inducements that are held out on this side of the bay. Probably no other county in the State can offer such a variety of natural attractions as this section presents and it is incumbent on every good citizen to do all in his power to keep them before the public.

Oakland and her immediate vicinity fairly teems with places where the Sunday of rest can be enjoyably and profitably passed. The wooded beauties of Leona Heights, the cool canyons and view-commanding vantage grounds at Blair Park, the glens and groves contiguous to the San Leandro road, the charming rusticity of the host of stopping places on the line of the California & Nevada Road, the stretch of beach with the open air ocean bathing at Alameda, the beauteous promenades in the grounds of the State University, the boating on the estuary and Lake Merritt—these are but a few of the many attractions of which we can boast. Then with a short ride to the interior of the county there are the fishing streams, the delightful camping grounds at Sunol and throughout Niles Canyon, the rugged scenery back of Livermore and the many picturesque nooks in the foothills, nearly all close enough to town to enable business men to travel to and fro on their daily vocations and tapped by good roads for those who can only take a casual visit.

The resident of Alameda county before going abroad to seek other retreats should first avail himself of those within his reach. It is safe to say that fully fifty per cent of the dwellers in Oakland have never visited, say Sunol or Niles Canyon, yet they pack up their belongings for a week or two every year and seek in other counties resorts that cannot compare with those they leave behind. Those who every Saturday evening figure on how they will pass the coming day will find themselves well rewarded if they pass a few Sundays visiting in turn the various resorts in Alameda county to which they have never been. The experience and education will be both profitable and pleasing.

The people of Los Angeles must be born gamblers. The Times says: "Contributions to the unemployed fund are lagging, but a considerable amount of money might doubtless be raised by getting merchants and manufacturers to donate articles, which could be raffled, as there are always a number of people who are ready to spend a few dollars when they have a chance of getting something in return, but who are not ready to give money outright for charity."

California is certainly generous toward the State University. Beginning this year it will offer more scholarships for worthy students who cannot gain a college education without financial aid than any other educational institution in America. Munificent as are the provisions made, they are yet inadequate to supply the demand. Sixty scholarships are offered for the coming year, but for these sixty 250 applications have been filed from young men and women all over the State.

Considering the large number of bicycles which are stolen it is surprising to see the carelessness with which people leave their wheels leaning against the curbing without any padlock to prevent a thief from jumping on and riding away.

The City Council of Los Angeles has set a bad example to the employes whom it can retain or dismiss. It has just summarily removed a Police Commissioner because "he was too strict a disciplinarian."

The Greeks have changed their cry. Instead of "Hurrah for War" it is now "Hurrah for Peace."

STARBEAMS.

Princess Chimay says she is yearning for a new and novel sensation. What's the matter with a little whirl at common decorum.

How soon things change around in this world! Corbett, who was fighting to spoils a week or two ago, now pretends to be spoiling for a fight.

It is the high theater hat which has always weakened the feminine movement against the fellow who rushes out between acts to get a drink.

An exalted feminine ideal is reached by the woman who thinks no evil of the most attractive of her own sex, and who has a smile for the most inattractive of men.

It is believed that almost any man from Ohio or Kansas would be happy in the position of Postmaster-General Gary, although he has eight marriageable daughters.

Economy has been described, by a clever writer, as going without something you really want in case you should some day want something which you probably won't want.

A judge at Janesville granted a decree of divorce to a woman whose husband puffed tobacco smoke through the keyhole of a door leading into a room in which her mother lay sick.

Mrs. Lease prophesies that the coming man will be a quadruped. The Kansas prestess who is dabbling in Theosophy is doubtless looking forward to a reincarnation with the precious privilege of leading her husband about with a dog chain.

A bright woman, in speaking of a young man, who was everything he shouldn't be, said: "He was a teetotaler, and he didn't smoke and was always going to concerts. He wore his hair long and his trousers short, and his hat on the back of his head."

A bicycle which is seen frequently on the boulevards in Philadelphia is draped in crepe in honor of the memory of the rider's husband, and the lady herself is in deep mourning, but to all appearances she is very, very happy.

Down in Kentucky a woman had a man arrested on Monday last for kissing her. On Wednesday an Ohio woman sued for a divorce because her husband never kisses her. And that's how about one-half of the world keeps the other half guessing.

Pauline Markham, who broke her leg four years ago in Louisville by falling into an open cellar, has recovered damages from the city in the sum of $6,000. A leg, of course, is worth much more to an actress who wears tights than to anybody else.

The men theater-goers at Brest think they have solved the high hat question. They carry with them big cushions by which they elevate themselves above the millinery obstructions in front, which is all right, providing there are women with big hats behind them.

A Corner for Woman.

Even the Ladies of Cairo Are Now Wheeling in the Narrow Streets.

No, we do not remember to say nice things to one another, or rather we do not make the effort to say those nice things we are often actually thinking. If the front of Mary's new dress fits well, and we are wishing she would turn so that we could see the back, it is just as simple to say: "Oh, Mary, that gown fits you beautifully. Do let me see the back." But in place of doing that, we wait until Mary turns by accident, and then we view the back in silence.

It is not that we mean to be grudging of our praise, nor are we restrained by delicacy, but we just do not think of opening our mouth and unclosing our teeth on the pleasant thought that would give Mary undeniable pleasure. There, no doubt, have been times when you yourself have worn a new gown or made some conspicuous effort of one kind or another, and found a friend utterly silent on the subject—so silent that you thought she had no good thing to say, and so kindly held her tongue; then later (through more thoughtful channels) trickles to you a warm approval that she had spoken behind your back.

Behind-the-back approval is extremely valuable, more so than before the face, of course, but somehow it is never so sweet.

Flattery? It is not flattery to speak of a true admiration. It is rather a duty to do so than to refrain. The use of clean, honest praise is not its abuse. It costs more effort to speak pleasant thoughts aloud than to think them in silence, and when one feels irritable or tired the effort is greater to thus make one's self very pleasant; but there is no doubt whatever about the duty in the case.

I once saw a father walk up to a map his little boy had made and pinned on the wall. He stood before it a long time in silence, and in silence walked away. The little fellow was sitting in the room, and his father knew he was there. He was watching with his eager child's eyes, waiting anxiously for a word of approval. As none came his poor little face fell unhappily. Straight into the next room walked his father, and said, carelessly:

"Robert has drawn a very clever little map in there. Look at it when you go in."

"Did you tell him it was clever?" asked a judicial listener, following from the room where little Robert still sat.

"Why no. I ought to have done so. I never thought to mention it."

"Well, you ought to be ashamed of yourself," was the deserved reply. "Go back now and tell him."

We ought all of us to be ashamed of ourselves a dozen times a day for like sins of omission. It costs so little to say nice things, and the result in another's pleasure is out of all proportion to our trouble.

Praise to the face; open disgrace.

No such thing. The proverb is wrong. Praise to the face is one of the sweetest things on earth, and there is no disgrace in it, unless untruth enters, or unless the praise is undeserved. It is the more grateful because no one may ask for open praise and receive by asking. When it comes thus at call it is not praise; its fine flavor is quite gone, and it is but flattery.

"We may have died for praise, but never asked it." All we need to do to give proper praise to the face is to think aloud a little more when thinking pleasantly of those with whom we live. In a word, as spoken by an old French lady of fiction, "It costs so little to be pleasant, it does so grease the wheels of life's chariot."—Harper's Bazar.

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There should always be a good supply of pins on a dressing table. Pins used to be a scarce and valuable commodity in the days when ladies had special money given them by their husbands to buy these useful little articles. The word "pin-money" is still used; but it does not express what it formerly did, for now we can purchase pins of all sorts and sizes for a few pence. A little box or tray should contain safety and small pins, both black and white, while a dainty pin-cushion stands handy to receive the bonnet-pins and large-headed pins.

Hairpins should be kept in a small box, and it is as well to keep a stock of all sorts and sizes. They have a way of slipping out and getting lost, and it is impossible to dress the hair firmly and comfortably without a sufficient number.

A very useful combination box and pin-cushion may be made out of a cigar box. The inside should be carefully lined with white paper and the outside covered with some material, the top being first padded to form the pin-cushion. In the box may be kept hairpins, hair-nets, etc.

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One of the most novel sights in Cairo this season has been the frequent appearance of the bicycle in the narrow streets of the quaint old city. Ladies in very up-to-date tailor-made costumes, preceded by native couriers, have been no uncommon sights in the Cairene streets, and the contrast between the latest fashion in amusements and the ancient houses and narrow ways of the old streets, is picturesque and striking in the extreme.

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Queen Olga of Greece, the eldest daughter of the Grand Duke Constantine of Russia, was married to the present King of Greece and crowned in 1867. She is a simple, wholesome, sensible woman, the mother of six children, and, though the head of a royal household, dresses as quietly as the wife of an American merchant. She is a clever artist and amateur photographer.

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There is another kind of asceticism which is nearly as foolish as neglect of food, and which is enforced not by one's own well-guided or misguided judgment, but by external opinion. Almost all men have certain "ways" of living which they have found conducive either to health or work, and a very large section of them suffer greatly from a torrent of criticism for those ways. There are men who never need exercise, or, as Mr. Chamberlain says is the case, do much better without it, and if they escape a minatory lecture once a week they are greatly favored by fortune. There are other men, quite numerous, who benefit by exercise in big draughts, but not in homeopathic doses, who exert themselves furiously once a week or during an annual holiday, but for the rest of their time benefit most by bodily torpor. They are not scolded because, as a rule, they are considered too far gone for the operation to be beneficial, but they are habitually and very openly disbelieved. They are talking nonsense, it is held, on a matter they know nothing about.

There are thousands of Englishmen who are never at peace if they are not warm, and are told by all sincere friends that they are killing themselves with "coddling;" and tens of thousands who can neither think nor work unless they are cool, and who are pestered by every one who knows them about wraps. We used to lecture one old gentleman ourselves because he would ride on omnibuses, wanting, he said, "full air;" and the lectures did not stop when at 84 he was more hale than the lecturer at 45. Modern biographers are particularly impervious to reason on this point. They note at once the smallest departure from the usual in the habits of daily life, as if it were an aberration, never thinking that their victim probably knows himself a great deal better than they can know him, or is obeying an instinct as deeply planted and as beneficial as that which induces a dog occasionally to eat grass. There are men, Scotchmen and Scandinavians no doubt mostly, who simply must "get into the cold" for a few weeks every year, who thirst for it like a Swiss for mountains; and there are thousands of women who would live to a hundred if they could only have a month a year in a place where they were warm all through. To condemn such instincts as self-indulgence, unless they conflict with clear duties, is foolish.—London Spectator.

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She Grew Worse

instead of better. The top of her head broke out with scrofula. A crust would form on her head and fall off, taking the hair along with it, and this continued for two or three months, when something seemed to tell me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I did so, together with Hood's Pills and Hood's Olive Ointment. Soon

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EDHEM PASHA'S CAREER.

Interesting Facts About the Turkish Commander-in-Chief.

His Brother Was a Catholic Priest for Many Years at Constantinople.

Edhem Pacha, the commander of the Turkish army in the present war with Greece, has had a most romantic and interesting history. He is not only of Greek origin, but also of Christian parentage. However, strange to say, he is an enthusiastic and fanatic Mohammedan and loyal subject to the present Sultan. His change of religion was caused by a number of strange circumstances which occurred in his youth. He was born on the beautiful island of Chio, in the Aegean sea.

This island was famous in ancient history, and is said to have been the birthplace of Homer. It is seven miles from the coast of Asia Minor and is situated on the gulf of Smyrna. It is known for its great productivity, mild climate and natural beauty. For centuries Chio has been under Turkish rule, although the largest part of its population is of Greek descent. In the many wars and insurrections for Grecian liberty, the people of this lovely island have always borne the brunt of Turkish cruelty and tyranny. This was especially true in 1888, when the Greeks began a long struggle for freedom.

Edhem Pacha was then a small child. The inhabitants of Chio did not participate in the insurrections which occurred in that year, but were following their usual occupations. However, a body of revolutionists came from the island of Samos and landed in Chio. They endeavored to excite the inhabitants to revolution, but met with no success. The Chiotes answered that it would be foolish for them to revolt, because the absence of a Greek fleet rendered them almost certain prey to the Sultan's troops on the main land.

The Samians, however, refused to obey and laid siege to the citadel, then occupied by a Turkish garrison. The Turkish soldiers were driven out and the fortress reduced to ashes. Soon after, an army of seven thousand Turks, with a host of fanatical volunteers, landed on the island. For weeks after, the soldiers and the roving hordes of Ottomans slew, pillaged and tortured the inhabitants. In parts of the island the people took refuge in the monasteries, but were pursued and killed by thousands. Even the sick in the hospitals were not spared. Over twenty-three thousand men, women and children were killed; five thousand escaped and forty-seven thousand were sold into slavery and glutted the slave markets of Egypt, Constantinople and Tunis.

Edhem Pacha's parents were among the killed. He was sold to a Turkish general named Khosseo Pacha, who took him to Constantinople. His master, however, gave him his liberty, and with a number of boys he was sent to Paris to be educated. He entered the Institute Barbet, where he remained for years. He evinced great industry and scholarship, and all his teachers predicted for him a great future and brilliant career. After graduating from this school with great honor, he entered a school for mines, and four more years were spent in close application and study.

After traveling through France, Germany and Switzerland, he returned to Constantinople and was appointed a captain on the general staff of the Turkish army. In 189 the Sultan made him his adjutant, and he also became the French instructor of the late Sultan Mured and of the present ruler, Abdul Hamid.

Later on he was intrusted with a number of important political missions. In 1856 he became a member of the Council of State, and was then appointed Minister of the Interior, but resigned his portfolio after a year. In 1867 he became Minister of Foreign Affairs and subsequently represented his country at Berlin. In 1877, upon the banishment of Midhet Pacha, he became Grand Vizier, which position he filled with great ability. In 1897 he was Ambassador to Vienna and from 1883 to 1885 he was again Minister of the Interior.

Edhem Pacha has always shown great hatred towards foreigners and against Christians. At the Peace Conference at the end of the Russian-Turkish war in 1877 he was the last of the Turkish ministers to give his consent to the final settlement of hostilities. He had always been an enthusiastic Turkish Chauvinist. He is a zealous member of the Young Turkish party, which has proclaimed the doctrine of the greatness of Islam and Turkey for the Turks.

It is interesting to note that Edhem Pacha's brother was for many years a Catholic priest in the city of Constantinople. He died a few years ago.

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The Week's Failures.

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A Number of Events Which Will Entertain Tomorrow.

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The return game of the Reliance and Heeseman baseball clubs tomorrow afternoon promises to be one of the most exciting of the season. Chas. Doyle will pitch for the Reliance and Frank Russell will do likewise for the Heesemans.

Last Sunday a large crowd attended the opening of the new park on the sea shore and it is expected that tomorrow's attendance will even be greater.

The following is the line-up of the Heesemans: Lanageran, second base; Stutt, first base; Smith, third base; Larsen, short-stop; Russell, pitcher; Peters, catcher; Breed, left field; Borland, center field; Keating, right field.

AT THE TRAPS.

The monthly shoot of the Reliance Gun Club will be held at Alameda Point tomorrow. There will be four interesting matches. The first for a pool and the last for merchandise. The Heeseman cup will also be contested for.

THE ROAD RACE.

The five-mile handicap race of the Reliance club wheelmen will start at 10 o'clock tomorrow afternoon over the San Leandro-Haywards course. The entries, numbers and handicaps are as follows:

No. 1, E. J. Lefevre, 2:00; 2, W. Lehner, 2:00; 3, C. Nunan, 2:00; 4, T. Hayselden, 1:45; 5, J. Keating, 1:45; 6, C. Lefevre, 1:45; 7, C. A. Lowe, 1:45; 8, R. C. Staats, 1:45; 9, B. Burrell, 1:30; 10, G. Gross, 1:30; 11, O. B. Marston, 1:30; 12, P. Hayselden, 1:15; 13, G. Lehner, 1:15; 14, C. S. Myrick, 1:15; 15, W. J. Poole, 1:15; 16, W. Plumb, 1:00; 17, E. Williams, 1:00; 18, J. S. Brereton, 0:30; 19, J. J. Borree, 0:30; 20, P. H. Rosenheim, 0:30; 21, A. P. Deacon, scratch; 22, C. D. Gooch, scratch; 23, P. R. Mott, scratch.

The officials are: Referee, E. B. Jerome; judges, J. R. Neylan, W. E. Griffith, A. P. Swain, and R. T. McKissick. Timers, P. H. Carlton, G. P. Wetmore, G. H. Strong, G. H. Stratton, and H. A. Hadenfeldt. Scorers, R. A. Eain, Jr., H. H. Price and G. Williamson. Starter, C. S. Myrick. Marshals, J. Jellett and M. Jellett.

VELODROME RACES.

At the bicycle races to be held at the Velodrome track, a number of Oakland riders will contest. B. H. Elford of the Reliance Club, will be in the first heat of the two-thirds of a mile professional, A. M. Boyden will be in the third heat and the two Oaklanders hope to line up in the finals. The two will also contest in the two mile professional post race.

In the one mile amateur handicap, Percy R. Mott, Reliance; A. T. Smith, East Oakland Wheelmen and H. W. Squires, Acme, will ride.

THE TRIP POSTPONED.

The proposed run of the Acme Wheelmen, to Pleasanton, has been postponed from tomorrow until Sunday, May 16th.

RACQUET WIELDERS.

The Oakland High School boys commenced their tournament on the Madison street courts yesterday afternoon and today the championship matches are being played. The chief event will be the singles between Ed Spencer and Rich Nicholson, for first place.

THE CHURCH AFLOAT

Oakland to Be Honored by Men on the Morning Star.

DEPARTURE OF C. S. LEWIS.

A Return to His Old Post on the Flying Gospel Ship.

LETTERS FROM DR. C. R. BROWN.

Subjects Which Will Attract Public Attention on the Morrow.

When the missionary ship Morning Star leaves Oakland next month, she will carry with her two officers who are well known in Oakland. Her captain will be Isaiah W. Bray, who was formerly secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in this city and her chief engineer will be Charles S. Lewis, at present sexton of the First Congregational Church.

There is an interesting story in this connection. Ten years ago these gentlemen occupied the respective positions they are to occupy in June. Mr. Lewis was chief engineer for one cruise only. When the Morning Star left Honolulu on that cruise it had for passengers a missionary physician and his daughter who were bound for the South Seas.

On the anniversary of the day that the daughter of the missionary physician first set her foot on the deck of the Morning Star, she became the wife of the then chief engineer, Charles S. Lewis.

It was because of his wife's aversion to the sea that Mr. Lewis left the Morning Star.

Mr. Lewis brought his young wife to San Francisco and engaged in following his trade, that of a first-class machinist.

After three years the family came to Oakland and Mr. Lewis accepted his present position in the First Congregational Church. His trade and his genius as a mechanic have made him almost essential to the welfare of the church and it was very reluctantly that the society authorities granted him a year's leave of absence which he now embraces and which enables him to accept the position on the Morning Star, which he formerly filled with satisfaction and ability.

Mr. Lewis has had many strange experiences at sea, but he has never been ship wrecked. Once, however, while he was aboard the crew of the Morning Star was compelled to pump ship for forty-eight hours before putting back into Honolulu. That circumstance was due to running aground.

Mrs. Lewis is at present in Honolulu with her father, who is practicing medicine in that city. The father is becoming old and his health is failing and Mr. Lewis desires his wife to be with her father as much as possible in his declining years.

Who will take Mr. Lewis' place during his absence has not yet been decided by the trustees of the First Congregational Church.

There are three or four applicants for the position.

Mr. Lewis leaves at the earnest solicitation of his friends. His health has suffered lately through constant devotion to his duties, and he was persuaded to take the much needed recreation. It was urged that he could serve the Master on board the Morning Star and, at the same time, gain the necessary recuperation.

The present Morning Star is a steamer barkentine, and was launched at Bath, Me., on August 7, 1884. In 1891 she came to San Francisco and was refitted, since which time she has plied back and forth over her perilous beat without having undergone more than a temporary overhauling. She makes her headquarters at Honolulu, and completes one trip a year, which lasts ten months and takes her in turn to all the islands of the south seas on which missionaries are laboring. These missionaries receive their mail only once a year, that being when the Morning Star comes around. She is a vessel of about 1,000 tons, and besides her commander carries two mates, two engineers, cook, steward and eight men before the mast. It costs $15,000 to $20,000 a year to keep her running.

The Alameda Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip has had under consideration for some time the question of issuing a call for a convention of Christian men, to consider men's work in the churches. A call has finally been given for such a convention. It is to be held in the First Presbyterian Church of this city at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon, May 17th. It will close at 9:15 o'clock that evening. To make the convention a thorough success, all the Evangelical churches have been invited to participate.

Weekly letters are received from the Rev. Dr. C. R. Brown by the First Congregational Church. He was last heard from in Jerusalem, but is likely in Germany by this time. The letters are read each Wednesday evening in the prayer meetings of the church, and contain much matter of interest to the church-goer, and the public at large.

Dr. Brown is the pastor of the First Congregational Church. He was granted a leave of absence to visit the Holy land several months ago and since his departure the pulpit has been filled by Rev. Dr. J. K. McLean, who had been pastor of the church for over twenty-five years.

Dr. Brown in his letters expresses himself as taking great enjoyment in his tour. He and his wife have visited all the places of interest in the Holy land, and he hopes to return within the next month.

There will be a quarterly meeting of the Alameda County parishoners of the Episcopal Church on Ascension day, May 27th, at the Church of the Advent, East Oakland.

Rev. C. M. Hill, pastor of the Tenth-avenue Baptist Church, and the Rev. S. S. Palmer, pastor of the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, both of East Oakland, have gone East to attend the commencement exercises of their respective theological seminaries and to take part in the national gatherings of their church organizations, the former at Pittsburg, Pa., and the latter at Winona, Ind.

For several years at intervals Rev. Father Lawrence Serda of the Church of the Sacred Heart at Temescal, has been doing missionary work among the Digger Indians of Northern California, with considerable success. He is at present in Mendocino County engaged in this work.

At a meeting of the vestry of Trinity Episcopal Church, Thursday evening, the following officers were elected: H. M. Sanborn, senior warden; D. M. Doub, junior warden; Webb N. Pearce, treasurer; Dr. Bakervell, president, may delegates to the conference to be held on the 18th inst. at St. Luke's Church, San Francisco, Messrs. D. Y. Campbell, D. M. Doub, J. Mathieu, H. M. Sanborn, R. H. Stokes.

At the men's rally Sunday afternoon at the Young Men's Christian Association, Mr. Seymour W. Condon, will address young men on "Foundations of Faith." This service for men only is a most interesting and profitable hour and all young men are cordially invited to attend and participate in it. Good music is always provided and is of a popular kind.

Rev. E. E. Hamand, pastor of the First Universalit Church leaves today for Pomona, to be present at the annual session of the Universalist State Convention.

Rev. Elmer J. Felt, of Tacoma, president of the National Young People's Christian Union, (Universalist) was in Oakland Wednesday, the guest of Mrs. A. M. Bradley.

Swedish Mission Church—Filbert, between Seventh and Eighth. C. A. Nelson, pastor. Services 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sunday School and Bible class, 10 A. M. Morning subject, "Our Eternal Inheritage;" evening theme, "Lion in the Way." Everybody welcome.

First Baptist Church—C. H. Hobart, pastor. Services at 11 and 7:30. Morning subject, "Worth From the Worthless." In the evening the Gospel Wagon Work will be presented by Rev. H. E. Adams and others. This unique method of evangelizing California is attracting great attention. About twelve Gospel Wagons will be sent to the mountains for a summer campaign, a number being already out and at work.

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran Church—Corner Twelfth and Myrtle streets, will celebrate a double jubilee. In the morning at 10:45 o'clock, the fiftieth anniversary of the organization of the Synod, to which the congregation belongs and in the evening at 7:45 the fifteenth anniversary of its own existence will be commemorated. In the morning the pastor, Rev. J. H. Theiss, being installed in this congregation on the 7th of May, 1882, will preach. In the evening Rev. J. M. Buehler of San Francisco, the pastor and others will speak. All are invited.

Tenth avenue Baptist Church—Rev. Dr. Sunderland will preach at 11 A. M. Rev. Mr. Moody of Alameda in the evening at 7:30 o'clock.

First Congregational Church—Morning service 11 o'clock. Rev. J. K. McLean, D. D., will preach the second sermon in the Review-Conception series. Subject, "Christ's Full Grown Man." Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Rev. S. M. Freeland, formerly acting pastor, will preach. Subject, "A Warning and the Reasons Therefor."

Chester street Methodist Episcopal Church—George W. Beatty, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by the pastor. Sunday School 12:30; Epworth League, 6:30 P. M.

First Methodist Episcopal Church—The pastor, Dr. Kummer, will preach at 11 A. M., the sermon for boys, postponed from last Sunday morning, "If I Were a Boy." A special invitation given to boys. At 7:30 P. M. Rev. A. W. Holt will give his lecture entitled "Iniquity Enthroned."

Capt. R. Cary Brento will preach at watchers' meeting at Gospel Mission Tent, Broadway and Fourteenth street, May 9th at 3 P. M.

First Universalist Church—Rev. E. E. Hamand, pastor. Service at 11 o'clock. In the absence of the pastor from the city, the pulpit will be supplied by Miss L. N. Shaw. Sermon topic, "The Falling of the Blossoms."

Central Christian Church—Edwards Davis, minister. Morning service, 10:45; subject to be selected. Evening service, 7:30. Dr. Thomas Boyer, the Chicago evangelist, will deliver his lecture, "The Place and Power of the Dark Ages in the History of the Church."

First English Lutheran Church—The pastor, Dr. Bushnell, will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, Pentecostal Preparation for Our Church Convention;" evening, "Prayer for Daily Bread." All welcome. Pews free.

First Free Baptist Church—On Twenty-first street, between Brush street and San Pablo avenue. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The pastor, Rev. Philip Graif, will preach in the morning on "The Greatest Thing to Know and Do." Reception of new members after the sermon. Evening topic, "The Best Recipe for a Long and Happy Life."

Theosophical Society. Lecture by Julius Oetti, "Where to See a Mahatma," at the Theosophical Library, Hamilton Hall, at 7:30 P. M.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Rev. Robt. F. Coyle, D. D., pastor. Rev. John Rea, assistant and Sunday School Superintendent. At 11 o'clock, the pastor will preach on "My Father's at the Helm," and at 7:30 P. M. on "Turk and Greek."

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Loring Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets, Sunday 11 A. M. Friday at reading room, Twelfth and Jefferson streets at 7:30 P. M.

Oakland Psychical Society. Fraternal Hall, Washington street. In the afternoon Mme. Montague will answer questions under inspiration and give psychometrical readings. Sunday evening inspirational lecture by Mrs. Lillie; inspiring songs by Mr. Lillie.

Divine service. Services in Gier's Hall, 511 Fourteenth street at 8 P. M. Discourse by Mrs. J. R. Wilson.

First Christian Church, Odd Fellows' Hall, Eleventh and Franklin street. Rev. Dr. Glen McWilliams will preach morning and evening—at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "The Road to Prosperity and How to Find It." Evening subject, "What Is a Christian Citizen." Sunday School at 12:15 P. M. Young People's meeting 6:15 P. M.

Eighth Avenue M. E. Church. S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching by the pastor 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subjects: morning, "The Second Coming of Christ." Evening, "Woman's Sphere." Sunday School at 12:30. Epworth League at 6:30.

The Church of Christ, 418 Nineteenth street. The revival meetings continue every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 2:30 P. M.; Tuesday and Thursday 7:30 P. M. No collections. Dr. A. P. Truesdell pastor.

Market Street Congregational Church. A. M., "The Prophecies concerning Tyre and Their Fulfillments In History." P. M., "Life's Mission." Rev W. H. Atkinson will preach morning and evening.

Asbury M. E. Church, South, corner of Clay and Fifteenth streets. Preaching 11 A. M. by the pastor, "Saints or Sinners?" 7:30 P. M., by Rev. J. Clarke Robbins, pastor Congregational Church, Berkeley. Subject: "Ideals."

First Unitarian Church. Rev. A. L. Cowell will preach at 11 o'clock. No evening service.

Union Street Presbyterian Church. H. D. Brassefield. Divine services 11 A. M. Ordination and installation of Elders. Sermon by Dr. Curry 7:30 P. M. People's service by the pastor.

Thirty-fourth Street Methodist. 11 A. M. Rev. J. D. Hammond D. D. will preach, and assist the pastor in administering the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. 7:30 P. M., sermon by the pastor, Rev. G. H. Jones, "Bethel; an Ordinary Place Made Sacred; a Covenant Making Time."

At the Church of The Advent, corner of East Sixteenth street and Twelfth avenue. Rev. V. Marshall Law Rector. Morning service at 11 o'clock and sermon on "Robbers." Evening prayer at 7:30 and sermon "To the Boys."

Fruitvale Presbyterian Church, Fruitvale. Rev. E. E. Clark pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. E. F. Fish of Oakland will occupy the pulpit morning and evening.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

J. Athearn Folger is spending a few days at San Rafael.

Mrs. W. E. Sharon and family will spend the summer at Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dahlstrom (the latter was formerly Rosa May) arrived in London May 3d, and are staying at the Hotel Cecil.

The engagement is announced of Miss Mary Thomas, the daughter of Mayor Thomas, to Howard Badger. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mrs. Gordon Stolp entertained the Cosmos Club Tuesday.

Mrs. F. M. Smith will give a party next Saturday at Arbor Villa in honor of her three young daughters.

The Sunday School of the Second Congregational Church will hold a picnic next Saturday.

Miss Mary E. Walker, a teacher in the school department, will spend her vacation in the Hawaiian Islands, leaving on the 18th of May.

Miss Sadie Hale will entertain a number of Oaklanders at her home at San Quentin May 21st.

F. M. Smith sailed from New York City on the steamer St. Paul for Europe last Wednesday.

Miss Paula Rued has issued invitations for a tea next week.

Madame Camilla Urso will be the guest of honor at the Ebell luncheon Tuesday.

Mrs. R. C. Craft and Miss Mabel Craft have returned from Los Angeles and Santa Barbara.

Miss Ray Frank will lecture in Stockton on the 12th inst., on "Nature, the Supreme Teacher." Miss Frank is a very clever speaker and is a favorite with Stockton audiences.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moffitt have gone to Del Monte, where they will spend a week or two.

Misses Eva and Emma Knight are at present in New York. They will spend some time at Brooklyn before returning to California.

J. P. Taylor, president of the Oakland Board of Trade, left for his native home, Scotland, Tuesday evening. He will be absent several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker, Miss Irene Baker and E. Leffingwell reached Honolulu on the 27th. According to accounts, they are delighted with the islands and are having a charming time. The trip was a rough one, and every one was seasick all the way across. Miss Ida Belle Palmer had met the party. A luncheon was given in their honor on board the U. S. S. Philadelphia.

The Abraham Lincoln Club will celebrate the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill with a picnic at Glenwood, in the Santa Cruz mountains, the 17th of June.

MISS WILLIAMS' OPENING.

Spring millinery opening March 18th, 19th and 20th. Miss Williams, 1162 Broadway.

NAUGHTY NATIVE DAUGHTERS.

They walked the tight rope, so the Saunterer says in this week's Town Talk, and did other startling things at an entertainment. Of course man—base creature that he is—was entirely excluded from the audience, and maybe they didn't have a good time! "Woman In Her Variety" is also discussed in Town Talk, and an illustrated article which will be of especial interest to the theatrical fraternity tells all about the banquet of those jolly people, the Elks, in the dedication of their new San Francisco lodge room. Town Talk has a whole budget of chatty news in the Saunterer department which handles all sorts of subjects, from weddings to around the town jokes. Read them, these stories. They are worth your while.

MUSIC AT HAYWARDS.

The Programme for the Afternoon in the Grove on Sunday.

McCoy's band will play at Haywards Park tomorrow afternoon, when the following programme will be rendered:

March, Ben Hur Chariot Race, Sousa.
Medley overture, A Good Thing, Beyer.
Song for trombones, Down in the Deep Cellar, Fisher, performed by Messrs. Beretta and Laughland.
Overture, Laneboni der Garde, Titl.
Waltz, Jolly Fellows, Vollstedt.
Intermezzo, Forget-Me-Not, Macbeth.
Mexican polka, La Tipica, Curti.
March, Battery Park, Thayer.
Overture, Light Cavalry, Suppe.
Scenes Coonesque, On the Plantation, Puerner.
Song for cornet, Serenade, Schubert.
Grand selection, Faust, Gounod.
Waltz, Santiago, Corbin.
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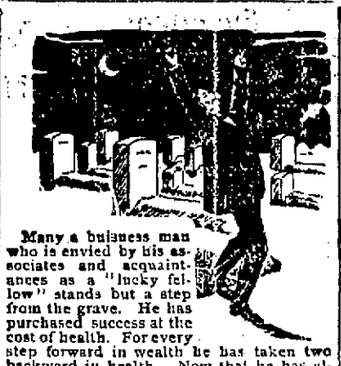

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LIEUTENANTS OF THE LORD

Christian Endeavorers Talk Over the Coming Convention.

Enlarged Delegations Are Promised From a Number of Places.

The Alameda County Christian Endeavorers held their first '97 Convention rally last evening at the First Presbyterian Church. A large number of people was present and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed.

The praise service was conducted by the county president, G. P. Lovell. The united choir, led by A. M. Benham, gave their first public rehearsal.

Rolla V. Watt, chairman of the General '97 Committee of San Francisco, spoke of the failure to secure the convention in '95 owing to the disorganization of the railway association. But this summer Endeavorers could come from Chicago for $25 and would return, he hoped, greatly benefited in every way.

J. V. Webster, vice chairman of the General '97 Committee, dwelt upon the support of Alameda County Endeavorers in securing the big convention. He explained how the crowd would be provided for during the meetings in San Francisco. Mechanics' pavilion, accommodating 9,000, will be the headquarters. Woodward's pavilion will be used and will hold 7,000.

The chairman of the press committee, George B. Littlefield, announced that he had received word that the Pennsylvania delegation had been increased from 300 to over 600, and this increase was due to advertising.

Dr. R. F. Coyle spoke very earnestly of the need of practical consecration.

HILL'S OBSEQUIES.

The funeral of the late James Hill, the aged watchman of the City Hall, will be held at Loring Hall, at Eleventh and Clay streets, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock under the auspices of Lyon Post, G. A. R. That organization will attend in a body.

The deceased has arranged all the details in regard to his funeral with Henry Evers, Jr., the undertaker, he having realized that his days were numbered. Only two days before his death he had asked Mr. Evers to see that the Exempt Firemen attended the funeral in full dress. Chief Fair will detail a squad of firemen to attend the services.

County Warrants.

The old system of issuing warrants to county claimants, has been done away with by the new law and now the demands are paid on the presentation of the claim blanks, properly endorsed. After these have been audited by the Supervisors and examined by the county expert, they are signed by the chairman and then become demands on the treasury. The Auditor next handles the claim before it goes to the Treasurer for judgment.

At Leona Heights.

All lovers of music should make it a point of hearing the boy wonder at the grand concert at Leona Heights tomorrow afternoon. Master John Bainbridge though a child in years is the most remarkable cornet player of the age, and for purity of tone and facility in execution already rivals the greatest cornetists of Europe. If you miss hearing him you will ever regret it.

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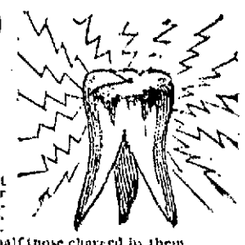

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THE SUMMER HEGIRA BEGINS.

Indications of Future Pleasure for Those in Social Circles.

It seems to me that I cannot remember two pleasanter weeks in many moons. The last fortnight has been so jolly with an infinitude of pleasant teas and other affairs, that we have had no time to be dull and the time has passed as pleasantly as possible.

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Several pretty teas occurred in honor of Mrs. Norman Lang, nee Nellie McKee, who came down from the north and was welcomed by a host of old associates. To my mind Nellie McKee was not only the flower of the flock, but one of Oakland's prettiest girls. She is quite as nice looking as always. Mrs. Orestes Pierce gave a tea in her honor on the 28th, and Mrs George McNear Jr., was the hostess at a charming pink tea where Mrs. Lang was the petted guest of honor on Friday of last week. The color was chosen because of Mrs. Lang's fondness for it, and its fondness for her, as well.

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On Saturday, Mrs. William A. Magee bade 350 people to her Fruitvale home and gave them an opportunity to meet the infinitely charming Mme. Camilia Urso, the noted violinist. Mrs. Magee's house was charmingly decorated. The parlors were in bamboo and ferns, with white syringa flowers, the hall in yellow and the dining room in sweet peas. The porch was enclosed with canvas and shaded with bamboos and greens. Inside the tent-like space, a mandolin club made music.

Mrs. Magee invited a bevy of agreeable women to assist her in receiving, among them Mrs Thomas Magee Jr., Mrs. Edson Adams, Mrs. George McNear Jr., Mrs. H. M. A. Miller, Mrs. George Greenwood, Mrs Mark Requa, Mrs. Oscar Fitzalan Long, Mrs. Seward McNear, Miss E. W. Churchill, Mrs. Valentine G. Hush the Misses Hush, Mis Ella Goodall, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Ethel Cohen and Miss Mae Tucker.

Mme. Urso was very attractive in a changeable gown of purple and magenta, and Mrs. Hush was really stunning in purple and white. Mrs. Magee was organdie and the Misses Hush were in fresh dimities—one red and one lavender.

After the tea, supper was served for the receiving party. The afternoon will long be remembered by the long list of guests. To each one Mme. Urso had something pleasantly individual to say.

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At the series of teas, Mrs. Watkinson and Mrs George McNear Jr poured tea. It is a pleasing and becoming occupation. No woman is ever more graceful or womanly than when dawdling with the tea cups.

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By the way, can you guess who is winning the name of matchmaker, par excellence in Oakland? She has more little schemes in her head. Most of them never come true but she does not despair. She keeps saying, "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

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On Wednesday evening the officers of the Presidio gave a dinner and dance in the mess room in honor of Lieutenant Bent and Miss Ethel Cohen, who are to be married in June. The men were all officers and the young lady guests included Miss Cohen's four bridesmaids, maid of honor and four other young ladies—all San Francisco girls, for she has chosen no attendants from this side of the bay. It was a very pretty and military affair.

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On Saturday noon, there was a christening at the Goodfellow home There were twenty-five guests and Mrs. Davenport acted as godmother.

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The week has been made memorable by the annual Huntington dinner and next week there are to be three more—all big affairs. The railroad people, always more fortunate than common mortals, are being well and generously entertained.

The Huntington dinner was the best planned and altogether the most delightful of that remarkable annual series they have given. Mrs Huntington who is really an artist designed it—decorations, table, menu, music and all. The big horseshoe table was set in the picture gallery and some 130 guests sat at it. Isaac L. Requa had the place of honor. Other Oaklanders were J. J. Valentine, who sat next to Mr. Requa, A. A. Moore and E. E. Wade. And by the way, there was a special boat and train for these three gentlemen at 2:30 A. M. What do you think of that?

The decorations were steamboats and locomotives of flowers and during the dinner and afterwards there was music by a subdued brass band and the Knickerbocker Male Quartette. Few hostesses could plan as successful and charming a dinner as this of Mrs. Huntington.

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Early in the week Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Requa will entertain thirty guests at Highlands, which is just now very beautiful. Among the guests will be Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Kruttschnitt, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Huntington and the other magnates of the steel rails.

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On Friday, Mr and Mrs. Kruttschnitt will give a very swell dinner and on Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Huntington will entertain at dinner the young married couples among their friends.

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Mrs. Watt was very prominent at the sale held in the First Congregational Church and which was, by the way, very successful. The Ebell rose show was also rather nice, though it did not elicit any great show of enthusiasm.

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For many the week was saddened, indeed the whole community felt a regret over our own little tragedy of the lake. Of course, it was not to be compared with the big Paris pall that fell over Europe, still little things near are as big as remote catastrophes. The little boys who were drowned in the lake were very dear to many people and the funerals on Monday were very sad. Mrs. Hall, I hear, is still very ill, and has scarcely recognized any one since she fell in a death-like swoon upon being told that her son was dead. They tried to break it to her gently, but the news came with crushing force. Several parties were postponed because of the calamity.

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Mrs. Charles Webb Howard has returned to Oakland and gives her first entertainment tonight—in honor of her son Karl.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bray have left on a trip to the mines.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Jay Baumgartner are living in their newly-fitted cottage on Thirteenth avenue. They omitted the wedding journey and went to housekeeping at once

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Both nights of minstrelsy at the Macdonough saw crowded houses. The performance was extremely good, and everyone seemed to enjoy it immensely. Among those I noticed in the audience were Mrs. Folger, Athearn Folger, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Pierce, the latter quite recovered from her illness by the way; Frank C. Jordan, Al Moore, Frank Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Craft.

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Mr. and Mrs Gilbert L. Curtiss have been entertaining Mrs. Stephen Sill, formerly of San Diego. A few friends were entertained on Tuesday evening in Mrs. Sill's honor.

Charles H. King, the capitalist, is in King County on business.

Miss Barker entertained the Club of Twenty-one on Tuesday evening. A variety of games made the evening pass pleasantly.

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On Saturday afternoon, May 1st, a delightful musicale was given by the William F Zech Quartette at the residence of Prof. and Mrs. Otto Blankart, 1319 Tenth avenue, East Oakland. The music began promptly at 3 o'clock, and the affair was delightful, socially as well as artistically.

The pretty house was crowded and the programme was as follows:

String Quartette, No. 8 op D Major ....Haydn
Allegro Moderato, Adagio, Cantabile, Menuett, Finale.
String Quartette, G minor..Volkman
Allegro Con Spirito, Andante, Scherzo, Andantino, Allegro Energico.
Pino Quintette, op 44......R. Schumann
Allegro Brilliante, In Modo duna Marcia, Scherzo, Allegro ma non Troppo.
Miss Belle Chamberlain, pianiste.

The Zech Quartette is composed of: First violin, Wm. F. Zech; second violin, Frank Hess; viola, Otto Blankart; violincelo, L. Von Der Mehden, Jr.

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On Friday evening, April 30th, a scene recital was given by Helen Highby and Richard Milliken, assisted by Mrs. Ernestine Palmer, vocalist, at the First Unitarian Church. The programme was extremely interesting, and the large audience enthusiastic. The numbers included Alfred de Musset's Comedy, "A Door is Either Shut or Open," and Aldrich's Comedy, "An Oak in a Storm," also scenes by Oscar Wilde and Professor L. Dupont Syles.

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The week has been a gay one in Berkeley—University minstrels, class day celebrations today, a farewell affair at Prof. Moses' charming bungalow and a farewell reception yesterday to the graduating class, which is by the way, simply huge, at Prexy Kelogg's.

Some of the class day fraternal receptions will be very swell affairs. The D K. E's expect to entertain 400 at luncheon, and the Chi Phi's 200 All the other frats have open house. The class of '92 will have a class reunion at the California Hotel this evening and the Alumni Association a banquet. This is the active work in college circles.

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J. C Martin is a grandfather now. A little daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin Thursday and of course all the Martin family are rejoicing over the tiny morsel of pink and white flesh. Mrs. Harold Martin was formerly Miss Hattie Colegrove and a charming girl.

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A very pretty wedding was that of Miss Rossiter and John Drum on the 28th The church wedding was very pretty and the affair at the house as charming as any I ever saw. The bridal table was all in white and green—immense green bows and lilies of the valley in their own green leaves. There were green candles and shades and the whole was as cool and delightful as an April wedding well could be. The bride was pretty and the bridesmaids' gowns very fetching indeed. Miss Cassie Drum of Oakland looked particularly pretty. The maids wore organdies with belt and chokers of spring green and their hats were perfect flower gardens—nodding with roses. James D. Phelan of San Francisco was among the guests and made one of his felicitous speeches. What a beau that man is—and they say that no one has ever touched that frozen block he calls his heart. But I don't believe it. My theory is that some one has touched it and deeply, too—and thereby hangs the tale.

I fear I have bored you with my prolixity. Never mind, during the summer I'll be forced to be brief, for there'll be naught to write about.

Meanwhile I'm everybody's friend.

THE MEDDLER.

THE CLAY LUNCHEON.

Miss Annie Clay of Fruitvale gave a luncheon Thursday complimentary to the Misses Glide, who are the guests of Miss Stephenson. The decorations were of roses and were very pretty. Among the guests were the Misses Glide, Sadie and Margaret Sinclair, Alice Stephenson, Jean and Florence Hush, Josie Chabot, Florence Sharon.

AT MILLS COLLEGE.

An entertainment of exceptional merit was furnished at the rhetoricals held at Mills' College last evening. Much talent was evidenced in the performance of the young ladies who compose the class in oratory under Miss Anna Gertrude Taggart.

The first part of the programme opened with a recitation by Lucile Eleanor Neigf, entitled "The Day of Judgment," by Elizabeth Stewart Phelps. "Mr. Travers' First Hunt," by Richard Harding Davis, was excellently rendered by Anna Hewfton. Three of Eugene Field's little gems of poetry, "Seein' Things," "Sometime," and "Baked Beans and Culture," were excellently given by Amelia Spicer Hall. "The Crucial Test," by Lott Crein, was rendered with much feeling by Angeline Claire Switzer The humor of "Sullivan Crow's Christmas Pocket," by Ruth McE. Stuart, was well brought out by Lucie Muriel Oliver "A Sisterly Scheme" by H. C. Brunner, was very prettily rendered by Lillian Gano Smith. "Napoleon's Overthrow" by Victor Hugo, was done justice to by Elna Miller, while Eleanor G Ellen very charmingly recited "The Same Old Story" by Ellen Elmey Kirk.

ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATE.

The seventy-eighth anniversary of Odd Fellowship in America was celebrated last Monday by Berkeley Lodge No. 270 I. O. O. F. at Odd Fellows' Hall, Berkeley, Past Grand W. B. Chase and Noble Grand P. Geirrine delivered addresses. The following programme was also rendered.

Flute solo, S Sargentich; vocal solo, Mrs. Maud Revalk; piano solo, Miss Bernice Sherratt; recitation, A. H. Broad, mandolin and guitar duet, E. J. Toeper and M. Korans, vocal solo, Miss Lydia Sturtevant.

The affair was under the charge of G. R. Noack, J W. Striker, B. P. Bull, H. N. Rowell, P. G. Woods, C. A. Geirrine, George Stricker, G. A. Schuster, F. B. Thompson, G. Mohr, N. T. Kerns, I. A. Boynton, Rod Cameron, E J. Pullen, F. J. Ryus, J. E. Streightif, R. Gregg, J. Chappie and J. Spencer.

THE MAGEE RECEPTION.

Mrs. William Magee's reception to Mme. Camillia Urso last Saturday was one of the most brilliant affairs of the week. It was a very large affair and included all of the Oakland society set and many from across the bay.

Mrs. Magee was assisted in receiving by Mrs. V. G Hush, Mrs. H. M. A. Miller, Mrs. Tom Magee, Mrs. George F. McNear Jr., Mrs. Edson Adams, Mrs. George Greenwood, Mrs. Seward McNear, Miss Ella Goodall, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Ethel Cohen, Miss Male Tucker, Jean and Florence Hush.

Mrs. Magee wore an exquisite organdie gown over pink silk Mrs Hush was gowned in dark blue silk. Mrs H. M. A. Miller wore a gown of yellow satin trimmed with Duchesse lace. Mrs. Seward McNear was exquisitely gowned in white satin. Mrs. Mark Requa was dressed in gendarme blue silk.

Mrs. Edson Adams, Misses Jean and Florence Hush and Miss Churchill presided at the tables. Among the many present were: Mrs. George Wheaton, Mrs Robert Watt, Miss Janet Watt, Mrs. Sumner Bugbee, Mrs. Pedar Sather, Mrs. R. G. Brown, Miss Florinne Brown, Misses Wilcox, Mrs. J. H. T. Watkinson, Mrs. M. W. Kales, Mrs. C. C. Clay, Mrs. E. H. Chabot, Mrs. H. K. Belden, Mrs. Hoadley, Mrs. T. L. Barker, Miss Mamie Barker, Miss Annie Clay, Miss Alice Stephenson, Miss Sharon, Miss Sadie Sinclair, Miss Josephine Chabot, Miss May Burnham, Mrs A. A Moore, Mrs. F M. Smith, Mrs. Augustus Bray, Mrs Derby, Mrs. Adams, Alice Ames, Mrs. Denman, May Denman, Mis Hogg, Mrs. Davenport, Mrs. Van Sicklen, Mrs. Wetherbee, Mrs. Wellman, Mrs. Marwedel, May Vrooman, Bessie Palmer, Bee Vrooman, Grace Gorrill, Harrie Kittredge, Grace Baldwin, Jane Rawlings, Mrs. Pope, Mrs. W. E. Sharon, Mrs. Sam Breck, Mrs. Shepard, Mrs. Craven, Miss Evelyn Shepard.

EBELL SOCIETY.

Mrs. George H. Ripley gave an interesting lecture at the Ebell rooms this week on "The Color Blue in Pottery and Porcelain." Mrs. W. H. Friend's and Mrs. F. B. Ginn's collection of old china was displayed.

Among the many visitors who brought old china, or who were deeply interested were Mrs. Warring Wilkinson, Miss Maud Wilkinson, Mrs. Thos. Prather, Mrs Potter, Mrs. William High, Mrs. Wallace Everson, Mrs Geo. W. Percy, Mrs. F. B. Ginn, Mrs. A. B. Nye, Miss Alice Herrick, Mrs. John R. Glascock, Mrs. Burdick, Miss Rickoff, Mrs Cornwall, Miss Babson, Mrs John F. Conners, Mrs. William H. Friend.

THE PIERCE RECEPTION.

A very enjoyable affair was the reception given by Mrs. W. Frank Pierce Wednesday to members of Oak Leaf Chapter, O. E. S Mrs. Pierce was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. Donnelly, Mrs. Walters, Miss Macdonald, Miss Clara Patterson.

The parlors were decorated with exquisite taste, roses and sweet peas being the flowers used. The ceiling was one canopy of green, formed by sweet-pea vines, artistically arranged.

Cards were played during the evening. The winner of the first ladies' prize was Miss Naismith, while Webb N. Pearce outstripped the gentlemen in the contest for the first gentlemen's prize. H D. Rowe and Mrs. Partridge were awarded the booby prizes.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Daniels, Mr and Mrs. H. D Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smille, Mr. and Mrs A K. Clark, Mrs. Lillie Baker, Mrs Albert Brown, Mrs. Geo. Cummins, Mrs. Donnelly, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Emery, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Fisher, Mrs A. Haelke, Mrs. Emma Halsey, Mrs. M. A. Lare, Miss Esther Macdonald, Mr Macdonald, Mrs Mather, Dr. and Mrs. Mayon, Mr and Mrs J. W. McClymonds Miss Jennie Naismith, Mrs. Mary E. Partridge, George Partridge, Miss Clara Partridge. Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Pierce, Miss Mabel Pierce, Mrs. Potter, Mrs. Rand, Mrs. M. E. Richardson, Mrs. D. E. Rutherford, Mrs. J. M. Sabin, Mrs. E. M. Walsh, Mrs. Cynthia Walters, Mrs. Weymouth, Mr. and Mrs. Bliss, all of Oak Leaf Chapter

Miss Kate S. Willatts, grand secretary; Miss Susan Willatts, Mrs. Currion, Mrs. Giberson, Mrs. Malgrev, Miss Malgrev, all of San Francisco, were also among the guests.

THE SANFORD LUNCHEON.

Mrs. O. M. Sanford gave a charming luncheon Wednesday in honor of her cousin, Mrs. Lennox H. Barnes. The table was exquisitely decorated with roses. Mrs. Sanford's guests had been old school friends in the East and this was a means of renewing former ties. Mrs. Barnes resides at Grinnell, Iowa, and has been spending the winter in California. She visited Los Angeles during the fiesta week. She is quite a traveler and pronounces California one of the most attractive places she ever visited.

Another guest, Sarah Charlton, is an Englishwoman who bears the distinction of being born on the same day as Queen Victoria. She was married the day before Queen Victoria's marriage was celebrated, and, although separated by a long distance from her native land, she still takes a keen interest in the affairs of Merrie England.

Mrs. S. L. Ely, an old school friend of Mrs. Barnes, was another guest at the luncheon.

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THE HOWARD DINNER.

Karl Howard gives a stag dinner in honor of Gallette Burgess this evening. All the contributors to the merry little "Lark" will be present and in costumes. They will represent famous literary personages. The dinner promises to be a very gay and brilliant affair.

AN ARMY AFFAIR.

An elegant dinner was given Thursday at the Assembly Hall of the Presidio by the officers of the mess room in honor of Lieutenant Ben and his prospective bride, Miss Ethel Cohen, of Alameda. The enjoyable affair was managed by Lieutenant Palmer in a very successful way.

The long table had been spread in the upper part of the Assembly Hall, partitioned off for the occasion with flags and bunting. The table was artistically decorated with roses and forget-me-nots, and magnificent banquet lamps shed their soft light over the festive scene. The hall proper presented a somewhat martial appearance, with shining arms adorning the walls and placed in stacks at the corners.

The guests were received in the mess room, where flowers had been lavishly used to brighten the scene. Mrs. Berkheimer and Dr. White, president of the officers mess, greeted the guests. Dinner was served at 7:30 and was followed by dancing.

The guests were: Miss Ethel Cohen, Miss Emma Butler, Mrs. Gibbons, Miss Kate Salisbury, Miss Mamie McNutt, Miss Kip, Miss Bernice Drown, Miss Marjorie Young, Miss Pratt, Miss Berkheimer, Miss Voorheis, Lieutenant Bent, Dr. Edie, Lieutenant Croxton, Lieutenant Noble, Lieutenant Carson, Lieutenant Rutherford, Lieutenant Gardner, Lieutenant Boyd, Lieutenant Nolan, Lieutenant Kilburn and Lieutenant Hains.

A BERKELEY DANCE.

The alumni of the Berkeley High School will give a reception and dance to the members of the graduating class next Tuesday evening. The committee in charge of the affair are: Miss Grace Henley, '94; Raleigh Whitcomb, '94; Miss Jeanette Hobson, '94; William E. Sauer, '95; Miss Stella West. '96; Ray Simonds, '96.

The officers of the Alumni Association, recently elected, are: President, Roy E. Dickerson, '96; vice-president, William Nieman, '96; secretary, Miss Grace Henley, '94; treasurer, Richard Hazeltine, '96.

YOSEMITE COUNCIL.

Yosemite Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., gave a smoker Tuesday evening at Fraternal Hall, Alameda. H. L. Zimmerman made a brief address of welcome and McMeckin's orchestra played. A. G. Burns, E. P. Fish, D. S. Stanley also participated in the programme. A cake walk was a brilliant feature of the evening.

A BUTTERCUP TEA

A buttercup tea was given Wednesday afternoon and evening by the young ladies of Carleta Chapter, O. E. S., at the residence of Mrs. Spreckels, 1807 Railroad avenue, Alameda. The affair proved thoroughly enjoyable.

THE BARKER PARTY.

Miss Mary Barker was the hostess at Tuesday's meeting of the Club of Twenty-one. As it was the last meeting of the year, the arrangements were more elaborate than usual and young men were invited. The Club met in the evening instead of in the afternoon. The Baker home were exquisitely decorated. The drawing rooms were fragrant with the perfume of La France roses and the fresh, sweet oder of pink hawthorne blossoms. Innumerable lamps, shaded in pink, cast a soft radius over the scene. The hall was brilliant with masses of red geraniums, while the library was daintily decorated with Banksia roses. The dining room was prettily decorated with snow balls and here and there clusters of pink geraniums. Palms formed an attractive feature throughout the house.

The guests were composed of the club members or their substitutes and several young men. Whist was played during the evening. Miss Stephenson and Miss Joliffe carried off the prizes among the girls and Eugene Peck and Lawson Adams of San Francisco were the successful masculine contestants.

Partners of cards were formed by selecting flowers of various hues. The score cards were dainty devises, surmounted by Miss Barker's monogram and enscrolled with a branch of Chinese lanterns lettered "May 4, 1897."

An elaborate supper was served during the evening at small tete-a-tete tables.

The members of the club who were present were Misses Mona and Laura Crellin, Ella Sterrett, Louisa Simmons, Holt, Kittredge, Knight, Converse, Alice and Lucy Moffitt, Ritter, Strong, Starr, McElrath, Joliffee, Drum, Barker.

Among the young men invited were Messrs. Mein, Parcells, Bernard Miller, Doane, Al Moore, Joe Moore, Will and Norris English. Pheby, Henry, Eugene Peck, Lawson Adams, Paul Miller and others.

CLUB OF THIRTEEN.

The Club of Thirteen was delightfully entertained by Miss Mary Whitney Thursday afternoon. The programme was a surprise to the club members who were not led to believe that anything out of the ordinary would be given. As it was Kendreck Bang's, deliciously funny farce, "The Bicyclers" was presented. The guests had all arrived when the curtains in the drawing room were pulled back and the play was enacted by the following: Miss Whitney, Mrs. Hampton, Miss Helen Bell, Miss Mary and Ethel Whitney, Miss Florence Hoober.

The club members were received by Mrs. Whitney assisted by Mrs. Ritter. Dainty refreshments were served during the afternoon.

CLASS DAY GUESTS.

Several of the University fraternities kept open house today as it was the annual class day celebration. Among the guests who took luncheon as guests of the Xi Phi fraternity were Miss Mattie Livermore, and Miss Hutchinson of this city. The Zeta Psi, the Beta Theta Pi's, the Delta Kappa Epsilons, the Fryers and other fraternities were among the hosts of the day.

CAHN—TOBRINER.

Miss Estelle Cahn and I. Tobriner, were married at the home of Mrs. Cahn, 722 Tenth street, Sunday. It was a pretty home wedding with masses of flowers forming exquisite decorations. Pink carnations gave color to the green back ground. The Rev. Levi of San Francisco, an old friend of the Cahn family performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Friedlander. The bride, who is a handsome demi-blonde, wore a travelling gown of grey cloth with point lace bodice. The hat was trimmed with gray plumes and pink roses. The wedding supper was served on small tables prettily decorated. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Schleuter which adjoins that of the Cahn residence was also thrown open for the wedding festivities, a covered passage way being erected between the two.

The young couple received many and handsome presents. They will spend their honeymoon at Del Monte and Santa Cruz. Their future home will be at 116 Devisadero street, San Francisco.

The wedding guests were as follows: Mrs. Fanny Kahn, Henry Kahn, Mrs. T Lachman and son of Reno, Mrs. Tobriner, Miss Adelle Tobriner, Miss Haidee Tobriner, Miss Essie Tobriner, Dr. Oscar Tobriner, Miss Eugenie Harris, Sam Harris, Miss Lyons, Rev. and Mrs. M. S. Levi, Rev Dr. Friedlander, Mrs. Ida Tobriner, Miss Alice Tobriner, Misses Della, Hattie, and Flora Tobriner, Mrs Julia Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. Goldstein, Miss Beatrice Badt, Miss Lily Weil, Mr. and Mrs. Max Schleuter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Block, Leopold Block, Mr. Marion Tobriner, Miss Rose Harris, Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenhood, Mr. and Mrs. M Cohn, Bert Lissner, Isreal Block, Mrs Lena Rafael, Mr. and Mrs. S. Myson, Sol and Al Rafael, Ik and Melvin Tobriner, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Frank, Mr. Henry Harris, Harry and Leonard Frank.

UNITY CLUB DANCE.

A delightful affair was the dance given by the Unity Club at Reed Hall, Tuesday evening. There was a large number present and it was one of the most enjoyable events of the week.

Those of the Unity Club who then entertained their friends were: Mrs. Clayton Adsit, Miss Louise Amerman, Miss Margaret Hamilton, Miss Blanche Perkins, Miss Rachel Pope, Miss Bessie Shearer, Miss Marguerite Warner, Miss Winnifred Warner. Miss Augusta Zable, Messrs, Andrews, Dibert, Farwell, Percy Kall, Walter Wilcox, Fred Winter.

The club members present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Gleason, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Hunter, Mr and Mrs. Fiske Ray, Miss Phoebe Smith, Miss Dibert, Miss Mary Bliss, Miss Katharine Potter, Miss Alice Tripp, Miss Phoebe Vyse, Miss Bertha Bartling, Miss Mary Fletcher, Miss Lucy Fletcher, Miss Grace Burrell, Miss Pamelia Foster, Miss Georgia Cope, Benjamin J. Smith, Edmond Renshaw, Jesse Dibert; David A. Cords, Charles Lowrey, Richard Milliken, B. R. Banning, Frank Fletcher, Charles Wiedershein, Rene Cuvellier, John Howell, T. C. Chase, George Evans, Fred Evans.

The non-members present were: Phil Dibert, Mr. Seth Talcott, Beach Dean, Ray Howell, Edward Anthony, H. L. Cunningham, G. Cunningham, R. C. Thompson, F. Girard, C. Rowell, R. W. Simonds, R. S. Kitchener, Will Standeford, Charles Fryer, George C. Gage, Trefethen, Ernest Victors, Charles Dutton, William Knowles, George E. Jackson, Millard Wadleigh, Fritz Catton, C. Sunderland, Lowell Hardy, Ralph Emery, C. A. Jackson, Miss Mabel Reed, Miss Maysie Otie, Miss Florence Mayhew, Miss Mamie Wallace, Miss Edith Morris, Miss Amy White, the Misses Burnham of Stockton, Miss Ethel Gage, Miss Bessie Gage, Miss Mabel T. Gage, Miss Daisy Fitzmaurice, Miss Evelyn Gove, Miss Osburn, Miss Stephens, Miss Sophie Sohst, Miss Winchell, Miss Mabel Holmes, Miss Addie Dowdle, Miss Mabel Moore, Miss Mila Lally, Miss Dolman, Miss Edith Feinberg, Mrs. Veitch, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Reed, Mrs. Mayhew, Mrs. White, Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. Osborn, Mrs. N. W. Palmer, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. E. M. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. H. Elliott, Miss Frost.

A DANCING PARTY.

The East Oakland Whist Club gave a highly enjoyable dance Tuesday evening in Washington Hall, to which all the substitutes and friends of the club were invited, this being the final party of the season The decorations comprising combinations of different flowers, were elaborate and beautiful The music was exceptionally good.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mayhew, Miss Minna Hopp, Mr. and Mrs. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Vandercook, Dr and Mrs. Proctor, Miss Blankart, Miss M. Blankart, Miss Allen, Messrs. Chick, Hamilton, Hawkhurst, Miss L. McDonald, Miss Hawkhurst, Miss L. Williams, Miss Daly, Dr. Allen and others

A PLEASANT AFFAIR.

A very successful entertainment was given Thursday evening by the First Baptist Sunday School for the benefit of the library. The programme was under the charge of Miss Rosa Rosling and proved eminently successful in its several features.

The opening number was a violin solo, by Miss C. Barbe, then a recitation, "The Rose Act," by Miss Marietta Higgins in the character of Josiah Allen's Wife. "The Goose Children" was then presented, the following children participating: Julia Mead as Mother Goose, Minnie Duchran, as Bo-Peep, Charlotte Thomas as Jill, Elizabeth Kenr, as Miss Muffet; Arthur Mead, as Jack; Roy Corrigan, as Boy Blue; Thomas Kent, as Simple Simon; Eddie Johnson, as Jack Horner, and the "Man in the Moon" himself. R. Bokee gave a vocal solo, "The Tempest" (Perkins), and Miss Mamie Luchsinger a humorous recitation, "The Obstructive Hat in the Pit."

The second part of the programme opened with a vocal solo by Thomas E. Kent, "Yoeman's Wedding Song" (Poniatowski.) The Oakland Mandolin and Guitar Club rendered "La Palma."

"The Queen of Beauty" was presented by Emily Nor, as Goddess of the Beautiful; Mabel Pool, as Dawn; Helen Lamott, as Day, Hazel Roberts, as Twilight, Bertha Bouterious, as Night; Vera Blesdal, as Sea; Mabel Roberts, as Forest, Helen Edson, as Flowers; Beth Russel, as a little child. "Pickaninny Dance," (Fowler) by the Oakland Mandolin and Guitar Club, concluded the long and delightful entertainment.

CHARITY SALE.

A combination of graceful branches of green arranged in groups or with their delicate leaves and sprays outlined against the stained glass of the windows and beautiful flowers glowing brightly amidst the verdant leaves, formed a setting that palliated the suggestiveness of common-place associated with the term "Kitchen Sale," held yesterday afternoon and evening in the parlors of the First Congregational Church.

In the center of the main room was the flower booth, where many beautiful bouquets of roses spread fragrance throughout the room. Miss Goodall presided here, assisted by Misses Janet Watt, Sessions, and Cottier, and, in the evening, also by Misses Watt, Gray, Chabot, and Coleman. The young ladies in their light gowns, formed a charming center piece among the flowers.

The lemonade table in one corner of the room had for its hebe, Mrs. George Perkins. The tea room was on the left side of the main parlor and proved a great attraction.

Long branches of fruit blossoms, roses and other flowers made it beautiful and home-like.

Mrs. J. H. T. Watkinson made a very graceful hostess. Her assistants were: Misses Whitney, Myra Prather, Sinclair, Kittredge, Holt, Sterritt, Simmons, Brown, Wilcox and Mrs. Edson Adams.

In the evening, Misses Herrick, McKee, and Mhoon also lent their services.

Mrs. H. P. Livermore, in old-fashioned costume, presided over the array of articles for sale in the old-fashioned kitchen. She was assisted by Misses Mary Whitney and Louise De Fremery.

The picture gallery had been very cleverly arranged, only the works of the most celebrated masters being displayed, i. e. in title. The idea of "Can't Be Best," was well carried out by a common Irish potato, and "A Fool's Reflection" was made perfectly clear by a mirror. The young ladies in charge were: Misses I. M. Carmany and Florence Carmany.

The fine arts room was presided over by Miss Rankin. The display was made by her and Mr. Wilson. Some very old China, English, Minton, Wedgewood, and even one or two specimens of old American China were exhibited, also very rare old lace, and a necklace which was worn at the coronation of King George the Fourth. A skirt, embroidered with the wings of over 2,000 beetles worked in, which came from India about forty years ago, was exceedingly beautiful, and won much admiration from the ladies.

Mrs. Robert Watt presided over the sale of the very choice recipes, none of which can be duplicated. Three of these placed at sale for twenty-five cents have cost the ladies five dollars apiece.

During the afternoon, Miss Schultz sang several solos in a delightful manner. Rubenstein's "Thou Art Like a Flower," a Danish song, "Farewell, Farewell, Little Greta," and "Ay" were rendered charmingly by the singer. Miss Schultz also recited. In the evening Mrs. Blake-Alverson, Mrs. Betty of Berkeley and a mandolin club from San Francisco entertained the visitors.

Among the ladies present in the afternoon were Mrs. Kales and her mother, Mrs R. G. Brown, Mrs. Percy, Mrs. F. E. Brown, Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mrs. Michaels, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Ginn, Mrs. Morris, Miss Morgan, Mrs. Hoadley.

The sale was for the benefit of the Girls' Sewing Class and a Boys' Club which is contemplated by the ladies in connected with the West Oakland Kindergarten. The officers are. Mrs. Robert Watt, Mrs. M. D. Hyde, Mrs. E. Bishop, Mrs. Henry Morris, Mrs. J. W. Shanklin, Mrs. Irving Colby, Mrs. Geo. D. Gray, Mrs. H K. Belden, Mrs. A. C. Henry, Mrs. William Armes, Mrs. John L. Howard, Mrs. W. G. Palmanteer, Mrs. E. C. Sessions, Mrs E. W. Randall, Mrs. Henry Martin, Miss Violet Whitney.

STUDENTS AS ACTORS.

An excellent musical and literary recital was given at California College last evening by a number of the students. The affair drew a large audience. The numbers on the programme were excellently presented, the scenes from "The Rivals" being particularly good.

Miss Magdalene Blankart made a delightful Mrs Ma'aprop and Samuel Langford was a clever Sir Anthony Absolute The musical portions of the programme were excellent and the recitations were well given. The programme was as follows:

Our Honored Dead....................
....Henry Ward Beecher
Charles Garth.
An Old Sweetheart ....
.... James Whitcomb Riley
Sadie Pullen.
The Torn Letter....... C. M. A. Bayliff
Mrs. Marchmont..Magdalene Blankart.
Veronica Varnish....... Eda Blankart.
The Celestial Army..T. Buchanan Read
Winifred Sanders.
Vocal solo. .. ..Miss Morse
Quartette, mandolins and guitars—
Dichter und Bauer........ ..Suppe
Anna Pagenkopf, Helen Richardson, Lucy M. France, Sydney Richardson
Macbeth—Act 1, scene 7; act 2, scene 1 and 2.......... Shakespeare
Macbeth. .... Donald Macrae
Lady Macbeth. ....Maud Lutts.
The New Lochinvar......Will Carleton
Hattie Bromley.
Address at Gettysburg.... ....
.... Abraham Lincoln
George E. Sanders.
Mazurka...... ....Chopin
Miss Morey.
Scenes from "The Rivals".........
.... Richard Brinsley Sheridan
Mrs. Malaprop....Magdalene Blankart
Miss Lydia Languish...Hattie Bromley
Lucy...... .... Lillia B. Farmer
Sir Anthony Absolute.Samuel Langford
Capt. Jack Absolute .George E. Sanders

THE SHARON RECEPTION.

One of the largest events of the week socially was the reception given by Miss Florence Sharon at her home, 1102 Franklin street. It was a very brilliant affair and attracted many of the younger set.

The house was exquisitely decorated with masses of roses Miss Sadie Hale had sent from her home at San Quentin a box containing over a thousand roses. La France roses mingled with the smaller white roses in the hangings of the drawing room. Baskets of the flowers were suspended in the archways. The hall was daintily trimmed with pink and white hawthorne and loose clusters of sweet peas. The library was arranged as a quaint Japanese room. The favors from past cotillions occupied a prominent position. From a large Japanese parasol were suspended several small parasols, the favors at the recent cotillion given by the Theta Chi Fraternity, and these were filled with fragrant roses. The dining room was exquisitely beautiful with gorgeous red Jacqueminot roses.

The rooms were crowded with guests during the afternoon. Miss Sharon was assisted in receiving her guests by Misses Jean and Florence Hush, Jean Howard, Grace Baldwin, Marietta Havens, Pauline Fore, Sarah Whitney, Pauline and Anita Lohse, Bessie Palmer, Beatrice Vrooman, Gertrude Allen, Chrissie Taft, Claire Converse, Harriet Kittredge, Grace Gorrill, Abbie Clift, Kate Chabot, May Sharon of San Francisco, Jennie Crellin, Florence Walker, Blanche Sharon, Merle Morrison.

Miss Sharon looked extremely beautiful in a gown of pink figured organdie over pink silk. The long sleeves were shirred and the point lace yoke was finished with stock collar of pink satin. Miss Havens wore a dainty gown of pink tulle edged with black satin. Miss Pauline Fore was prettily gowned in pale blue organdie.

During the afternoon a pleasant informal programme was enjoyed. The Misses Hush played and sang. Misses Newell and King also played. Otto Wedemeyer sang a delightful solo, and Miss Clay and Miss Goodcell recited very charmingly. Mr. Parcells sang, and Miss Byler's sweet contralto was also heard. Miss Sharon sang some delightful songs and Miss Pauline Fore gave a pretty letter-song.

The young ladies who assisted in receiving remained in the evening, when a small dance was given.

The list of invited guests for the reception included Misses Edythe Adams, Martha Alexander, Gertrude Allen, Carrie Ayers, Irene Baker, Grace Baldwin, Helen Bell, Romola Bigelow, Agnes Borland, Alma and Ada Brown, Alma Boegle, Susie Bradley, Lucie Byler, Alice Conklin, Hattie Currier, Urma and Laura Crean, Hazel Curtiss, Gail Converse, Clay, Coffin, Margaret Cole, Margaret Collier, Anna Coyle, Carrie Coyt, Jennette and Gladys Deal, Ruth Dunham, Sue de Fremery, Florence and Ethel Dean, Etta Edwards of San Francisco, Maggie Ennis, Elizabeth Ebey, Lilla Evans, Genevieve and Ione Fore, Charlotte Field, the Misses Gage, Misses Edith Gaskill, Helen Garthwaite, Grace Gorrill, Bessie Graham, Emma Greenwood, Gregory, Rita Marries, Sadie Hale, Sue Holcomb, Hattie Hirschberg, Maud Howard, Grace and Ida Hampton, Amy Jones, Grace Holt, Mabel Jordan, Edith Kelly, Maude Kent, Elizabeth Kinsey, Harriet and Ethel Kittredge, Margaret Knight, Rita Kennedy, Joliffe, Livermore, Little, Leigh Lawler, Olive Middleton, Elsie Marwedel Alice Moffitt, Florence McCoy, Mattie Musser, Bertha

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Opposition to the Selection of the Site at Washington.

An interesting and instructive lecture was given last evening by Judge W. W. Morrow of the United States District Court in the Pilgrim Congregational Church. The lecture was preceded by a duet by Mrs A. A. Dowling and Harry Melvin, entitled, "Would That We Two Where Maying." For an encore, they rendered "Wanderer's Night Song," by Rubenstein.

The subject of the lecture was "The Federal Government." As the Judge explained, it was not so much a discussion of the government in its different phases as showing picture of it.

"You are well acquainted," he continued, "with your local government, but the Federal Government is afar off. It rests like an inverted saucer over the country. The relationship between the local and Federal Government is ill defined, still the latter is visible in some places.

A PROBLEM SOLVED.

The most remarkable feature of the world's history today is our government. The difficult problem to solve before its foundation was how to procure the largest concert of action on the part of the greatest number of people. This problem we solved."

The speaker then spoke briefly on the history of republican government. He showed the durability of this form of government, citing for example the San Marcno republic, situated on the top of the Apennines. This was the oldest republic in the world, yet its population was only 6,000, its area, thirty-two square miles. The republic of Van Dora in the Pyrenees, dating from the year 803, had a population of 8,000. Switzerland, with twenty-two counties and a population of 3,000,000 was founded during the Reformation period. The Netherlands was only as large as the county of San Diego.

"What does this show?" the speaker resumed. "Simply that all republics are confined to small areas. This was the theory of Montesguieu."

A FEDERATION.

But then, our republic must be something more than a mere republic. It is a federation of republics.

Some say a republican federation cannot last. The Achalan League of ancient Greece went down before the hordes from Asia. The spirit of republican federation lay dormant in that country for 2,000 years. But it has reappeared, and today it is struggling for life and continuation against the Turks. It may again go down, and I think probably it will, but I know that the spirit will arise and in the end triumph over the oppressor and crush the intruding monster to the dust."

The speaker then dwelt at some length on the origin of our government, citing different authorities claiming some that it was a copy of the English Constitution, others that it come from Holland or was borrowed in some way from other European nations. "But," said the Judge, "our government is a growth on this soil. We are indebted to our own people alone for its development. Its growth began within twenty years after the landing of the Pilgrims. In 1639, the colony of Connecticut, incorporated in its constitution the idea that all true government rests on the consent of the governed. This constitution was called the fundamental orders of the Colony of Connecticut. This was the first written constitution in the world.

NEW ENGLAND FEDERATION.

In 1643, the New England Confederation was formed, comprising Massachusetts Bay Colony, Plymouth, New Haven, and Connecticut. There was a general Congress, having two members from each colony. The only qualification necessary for a Member of Congress was that he should be a member of the church.

"In 1690 a different federation was formed of five colonies. In 1754 seven colonies united at the Albany Congress. In 1765 there was the Stamp Act Congress, which developed in 1774 into the Continental Congress. On June 22, 1783, Elbrigde Gerry of New Jersey proposed that the capital of the country be definitely located. It had been situated at New York, Annapolis, Philadelphia, Lancaster and York, Pennsylvania. After an act of diplomacy on the part of Hamilton and Jefferson a tract of ten square miles on the Potomac was set aside and on that our Federal Government holds sway.

"The situation chosen for the seat of the National Government was denounced by the press and by the public in general, as being too far West. It lay 105 miles west of the Atlantic Ocean. It was hoped by the most sanguine that some day it might become the center of the nation. But there was doubt as to the probability of such a marvelous growth. But it has grown, and so has our Federal Government, not by a happy accident, but the product of our own efforts, and as such it shall forever stand on the broad platform of right and justice."

A number of very fine dissolving views were shown by J. W. Erwin, and briefly commented on by Judge Morrow. The public buildings of Washington, their interiors, views of the city and portraits of a few of the Presidents and their wives were among the many pictures shown.

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Christian Endeavor Work.

The corresponding secretaries of the Oakland societies are requested to send their news item to Miss Christine Prowes, 1128 East Nineteenth street, who will have charge of the Press Committee work for the month of May. The items must reach her by Thursday afternoon of each week.

The committee appointed to arrange for the quarterly convention of the Alameda County Junior Christian Endeavor Union is Miss Georgia Barker, chairman; Mr. Akers of South Berkeley, president; Mrs. Lee of the Berkeley Congregational, Miss Albin of Trinity M. E. and Mrs. Binney of the Berkeley Baptist. This convention will take place in June and will probably be in Berkeley. A nominating committee has also been appointed to nominate the Junior county Union officers. This committee is Miss A. B. Wythe chairman; Robt. Stuart, Miss Pauline Collins, Ray Coyle, and Beatrice Wilson.

The topic for Sunday, May 16th:—"Some Things Worth Living For." I John 2:12-17. What shall we live for? "And the world passeth away and the lust thereof." Yes, man's little world, the world of customs, ambitions, sins and sorrow, passes away, and there is little in it to live for; but above it and behind it and through it all, are things which change not.

Christ taught us how and for what to live, to be in the world but not of it, for there are two different ways of living in the world. He lived not for the customs and ambitions of the world, but for the immortal part of it, the souls of men. He not only lived but died for the world, and only when we follow the example of his life of love and sacrifice can we make our lives worth living.

Live then for Christ by helping those He died for; do one act of kindness, help one despairing person and something has been done worth living for.

Sir Launfal found the log sought for Holy Grail in the cup he filled for the leper, so may the things most truly worth living for be found in the little daily kindnesses and sacrifices for our brothers. In short, the one great thing worth living for is to live the Christ life in every particular.

The Mizpah C. E. Society of the First M. E. Church has elected the following officers: President, John C. Luhr; vice-president, Willson J. Wythe; secretary, Ethel Liddell; assistant secretary, Lottie Thompson, treasurer, Carlos G. White, and corresponding secretary, Lena Taber; organist, Grace Edwards, and chorister, Myron T. Holcomb; delegates to the city Union, Carlos White and Walter Maddrill.

Last Sunday the Fourth Congregational Christian Endeavor was visited by a representative of the '97 committee of Alameda County and Geo. P. Lowell the county president. Both of the visitors spoke and aroused a great deal of enthusiasm and interest in the coming great convention.

This society has not had a lookout committee until two weeks ago and the result of its appointment was that four new members were received at this meeting.

Alameda County Junior Christian Endeavor work is growing very rapidly. Last Sunday the Methodist Episcopal Junior Christian Endeavor Society of Haywards resumed its meetings after having been suspended for six months and a new society was organized in the Pilgrim Congregational Church. Two weeks ago the Good Will Congregational Sunday School and the Golden Gate Presbyterian Church organized a Junior also and tomorrow the First English Lutheran Junior C. E., which has been disbanded, is to be reorganized.

The business of a leader is to lead the meetin. That seems so plain as not to need stating. But it is a fact that many leaders do not lead, and appear not to understand that it is their business. They give the meeting a good push to start it, and leave the steering to take care of itself. From first to last the meeting should be guided by the leader so that the most good may be done. If interest flags, he will not use the hymn book merely to fill pauses, but will throw out questions and suggestions to start trains of thought. In the same way, he will quietly check any tendency to unprofitable wandering from the main topic. If the calls for hymns threaten to take an undue amount of time, he will ask that but a stanza or two be sung; and, if there seems to be little thought of the meaning of the words, he will propose that reading occasionally be added to the singing. If the devotional element in the meeting is especially weak he will ask for seasons of prayer. The business of a leader is only to lead, not to drive. It is his to make it easy and natural for others to follow. The meeting is not his, but theirs. It is theirs from the first minute to the last. The earlier there is opportunity for them to feel this, the more readily will they usually do their part. If the leader makes them feel that the meeting is his until some time when he says by word or act, "The meeting is yours," it will not be surprising if they do not eagerly claim their ownership then. He may be able to make most eloquent or instructive remarks, but, if what he says is not intended to make it easy for others to follow, he is not a good leader. Nor has he a right to take so much time either in opening the meeting or later, that all the others will not have full opportunity to take part. He is one of the society, set to help them worship and witness, not to exhibit himself in any way. He will have in his own mind a careful plan for the hour; but he will feel that he has been most successful when each has been moved to speak from the heart in ways that he could not have planned or foreseen. There is no good meeting that is not thus led by the Spirit, and he that would helpfully lead must himself ask to be led by that Spirit.

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DEEDS.

FRIDAY, May 7, 1897.

Irving M. and Laura H. Scott to Effie Browne, N 6th av 125 E E-10th st E 25 x N 150, blk 21, Clinton, gift.

M. and Catherine A. McCann to Henry Diapel, lots 1, 2 and 3, blk 747, of C. C. Clay's sub Levy & Lane tract, Q. C. D., $50.

Geo. A. and Mary Severance to Ella A. Osborne wf W. S., the S 30 ft lot 4, blk 62, Alameda Park Hd, $10.

Wm. Gibbons to Jas. Black, beg at a pt 142 from N cor 1st and Lizzie sts NE 49 NW 162-10 SW 52 SE 180 to beg, blk 1, McLeod tract, town of Livermore, $5.

W. W. Sr. and Ellen M. Allen to Frederick L. Burt, E Chestnut st 100 S 8th st S 37-8½ x E 132, being lot 5, blk 538, warranty deed, $10.

Albert Ellis to Edwin J. Ellis, N 9th st 125 E Clay st E 25 x N 100, being lot 26, blk 117, $10.

Frederick A. Allardt to Oakland Bank of Savings, lots 15 and 16, blk 20, San Antonio, $10.

Anson S. and Anita S. Blake, F. W. and Carrie S. Bilger to Chas. T. Lewis, lots 13, blk 1, of The Highlands, being a resub of blks 1, 2 and 3 of Tuohy Addn to Bkly, $10.

E. and Caroline Rammelsberg to Nahum E Williams, E 6th st 146-2 N Delaware st N 6 x E 115, being the S 6 ft of lot 20, blk 65, tract B, Bkly L. and T. I. Assn, to correct 473 d 36, $10.

H. A. and Christine S Pleitner to Jos. and Marie T. Meyer, W Merrill av 30 N Lloyd av N 33.76 x W 122, being lot 9, blk E, Fruitvale Terminal tract, $10.

Stanley and Caroline Stephenson to W. P. Fuller & Co. (a corptn), S Encinal av 100 E Oak st E 50 x S 110, being lot 3, blk S, lands adjt to Encinal; E Laurel st 120 S Clinton av S 40 x E 130, being lot 8, blk A, Bellevue tract, $10.

Chas L. and Annie S. Taylor to Felix Marcuse and A. J. Remmel, W Minturn st 137 S Railroad av S 37 x W 88, being lot 8, map of sub lot 32, Fasskings Park, $10.

Jos. and Kate Lewis to Wilhelm T. Sagehorn, SE Santa Clara av and Stanton st th E to dividing line bet Hibberd and Fitch & Sharon tract, th SW to E Stanton st, th N to beg; W cor Baker av and Virginia st SW 150 x NW 110-6, being lots 32 to 37, Bromley tract; NW Baker av 75 NE Virginia st NE 75 x NW 110, being lots 26, 27 and 28, Bromley tract; N cor Mills st and Baker av NW 100 x NE 169.60, being ptn lot 16, revised map J. Levi Sr. tract, $10.

Henry J. and C. S. Diggles and Jas. H. Barton to John P. Fevrier, 26.761 acres beg at SW cor lot 3 at post marked "lots 2 & 3," th E 10 chs N 24.65 chs NW 12.01 chs E 20 34 chs to beg, being lot 3 in plot 40, Ro 131 Valle de San Jose, also right of way over road fronting said lot 3 and connecting with county road, $609.

A Family Jar

Some time ago Mrs. Margaret White, who lives on the north side of Thirty-seventh street, between Grove and West streets secured a division of community property from her husband. She took the cottage in which she lives, and the husband was content with the vacant lot adjoining. Then the wife made a will leaving her holdings to Mrs. Johnson, a niece. This is said to have angered the husband so that he has built a shanty on his lot, with the intention of marring the beauty of his wife's property at all events the shanty stands there, entirely out of keeping with the surroundings.

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SOCIETY NEWS.

(Continued from page 6.)

McElrath, Morgan, Moore, Della Mills, Viva Nicholson, Newlands, Otey, Ethel Pomeroy, Ethel Patton, Cora Jenkins, Katherine Keating, May Kummer, Amy Pratt, Libbie Pennoyer, Miss Pringle, Sally and Caroline Inman, Mary Randall, Remillard, Lillian Strong, Ella Sterrett, Grace Sanborn, Edith Simpson, Marion Smith, Winifred and May Burge, Florence Stone, Emily Staples, Edith Stubbs, Sadie Sinclair, Alice Stevenson, Marie and Louise Schwartz, Louise Lemmons, Margaret Sinclair, Mamie Thomas, Ethel Valentine, May Vrooman, Gertrude Van Wyck, Gertrude Voorhies, Ray Wellman, Ethel and Sally Whitney, Florence White, Florence Walker, Marie Wells.

Messrs. H. A. Allen, George Alexander, Ray Burrell, Cliff Boardman, Will Barley, Lloyd Baldwin, Henry Bacon, Will Bacon, Will Buzzard, Ben Bakewell, Percy Bromwell, Herbert Beck, Eugene Beck, Dan Belden, Cleve, Ray and Harry Baker, Eric Boegle, Bart Brown, Willie Childs, Hall McCoy, Sterling Carr, Fritz Crist, Phillip Clay, Charles Clay, Fred Conklin, Will and Clarence Creed, F. Cornwall, Allen Chickering, Roger Harris, George Cushing, Homer Craig, Dixwell Davenport, Walter Dayton, Fred and Gus Dieckmann, Carl Lehners, Will and Norris English, Wallace Everett, Ralph Emery, Harry Farr, Roger Friend, Charles Gardner, Lawrence Green, Will Gunn, George Gage, McClure, Gregory, Mark Hyde, Horn, Havens, Sumner Hardy, Carl Howard, Carl and Jack Hoffman, Will King, Linscott, Lewis, Guy Lillencrantz, Howard Morrow, Claude McClure, Dr. Musser, Roy Mauvais, Al Moore, George Mather, Fred Marsten, Rob Mein, Bernie Miller, Roy Macdonald, Jack and Jim Newlands, Moffitt, Newell, Harry Nichols, Will and Tom Olney, Potter, Pratt, Pringle, Parcells, Parker, Phelby, Inman, Ransome, Ritchie, Rosborough, Roscoe, Reed, Russell, Herbert Selby, Beach Soule, Ed Staidmuller, George Sessions, Walter Starr, Schilling, Smith, Stevenson, Simpson, Taylor, Taft, Thorne, Tupler, Robbins, Selfridge, Stone, Sanborn, Upham and others.

MISS JORDAN'S PARTY.

Miss Nettie Jordan, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Jordan, gave a pleasant little party last evening in honor of the eleventh anniversary of her birthday. The invitations were confined to children in the immediate neighborhood. The evening was enjoyably spent in playing games. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Charlotte Knudson, Harold Knudson, Bertha Greenleaf, Kate Greenleaf, Sibyl Tripp, Mildred Tripp, Ethel Lloyd, Edward Lloyd, Harold Heckman, Frank Jordan Jr., Nettie Jordan, Grace Jordan, Maud Howard, Margaret Moore and Florence Pardee.

A DANCING CLASS.

An enjoyable affair was the dance given last Saturday evening at Masonic Hall by the pupils of Miss Belcher's dancing glass. Irving Burrell had charge of the affair. The German, full of new and pretty figures, was led by Irving Burrell and Zella Osborn.

Among those present were Misses Edna Hewes, Hazel Pierce, Zella Osborn, Hazel McGraw, Edna Barry, Ethel Hass, Bessie Cotton, Paul Otle, Gerrold Otle, Will Childs, Cleve Baker, Girard Clement, Ed Hume, Clarence Roll, Arthur Roll, Hall, Robinson, Taber, Frank Langstroth.

THE KYTE TEA.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kyte gave a pleasant tea last Wednesday afternoon in honor of her friend, Mrs. R. H. Moskiman of Pismo, San Luis Osbispo County, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. J. N. Bonham of 1808 Market street who is about to leave shortly for home. The table was exquisitely decorated with La France roses. Refreshments were served from 3 to 5 P. M. Among the guests present were: Mrs. R. Moskiman Sr., Mrs. Fletcher, Miss Mamie Fletcher, Mrs. J. N. Bonham, Mrs. W. J. Coffey, Mrs. G. J. Kyte, Mrs. J. W. Bankhead, Mrs. E. J. Kyte, the Misses Myrtle Bankhead, Blanche Bonham, Marie Coffey, Lolita Kyte and others.

LUDLOW—LEE.

A pretty wedding occurred Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ludlow on Eighth street when Miss Mattie Ludlow and Frederick John Lee were married. The Rev. J. K. McLean D. D. was the officiating clergyman. The pretty home was lavishly decorated with flowers and potted plants. The bride's father is master car repairer of the Southern Pacific in the West Oakland Yards and the bride herself is well known in social circles. Mr. and Mrs. Lee will reside at 1214 Twelfth street where the groom recently built a cottage. They will be at home to their friends after May 20th.

Five pounds of good coffee for $1 at the New York Tea Co., 859 Broadway, near Seventh St. Tel. Black 3662.

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Every article bears the name of the maker, which is proof of the superior quality of our wares.

Very Best Quality Semi-Porcelain.
Harvest, Light Blue Spray Decoration.

Plates, Tea sizes	Each 5 cts
Plates, Dinner sizes	Each 6 cts
Plates, Soup	Each 7 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 8 cts
Vegetable Dish, 8-inch	Each 20 cts
Large Water Pitcher	Each 38 cts
Tea Pots	Each 40 cts

Very Best Quality Semi-Porcelain.
Summertime Spray Decoration, Gold Handles and Trimmings.

After Dinner Coffee	Each 9 cts
Bowls, Table	Each 10 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 10 cts
Coffee Cups and Saucers	Each 12 cts
Salad Dish, 6-inch	Each 13 cts
Meat Platters, 8-inch	Each 13 cts
Salad Dish, 7-inch	Each 17 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Vegetable Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Meat Platters, 10-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 35 cts
Salad Dish, 9-inch	Each 35 cts
Meat Platters, 12-inch	Each 45 cts
Large Water Pitcher	Each 50 cts
Meat Platters, 14-inch	Each 60 cts

Very Best Quality Semi-Porcelain.
Wind Flower Spray Decoration, Gold Handles and Trimmings.

Plates, Breakfast	Each 7 cts
Plates, Dinner	Each 8 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 10 cts
Bowls, Table	Each 10 cts
Salad Dish, 6-inch	Each 13 cts
Salad Dish, 7-inch	Each 17 cts
Vegetable Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 35 cts
Salad Dish, 9-inch	Each 35 cts
Salad Dish, 10-inch	Each 42 cts
Butter Dish	Each 45 cts
Water Pitcher	Each 45 cts

Very Best Quality Semi-Porcelain.
Gold Illuminated Spray Decoration, Gold Handles and Trimmings.

Fruit Saucers	Each 5 cts
Plates, Tea	Each 7 cts
Custards	Each 8 cts
Bone Plates	Each 8 cts
Plates, Breakfast	Each 8 cts
After Dinner Coffees	Each 10 cts
Plates, Dinner	Each 10 cts
Bowls, Table	Each 12 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 12 cts
Coffee Cups and Saucers	Each 12 cts
Salad Dish, 6-inch	Each 15 cts
Vegetable Dishes, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 35 cts
Meat Platter, 12-inch	Each 47 cts
Butter and Cover	Each 50 cts
Water Pitcher	Each 50 cts
Meat Platter, 14-inch	Each 72 cts
Soup Tureen	Each $1.00

Azalia Decoration.

Plates, Breakfast	Each 5 cts
Butter Dish and Cover	Each 35 cts
Soup Tureens	Each 75 cts

Yellow Earthenware.

Pie Plates medium	Each 5 cts
Bowls, medium	Each 5 cts
Pie Plates, large	Each 8 cts
Nappies, large	Each 20 cts
Bowls, large	Each 15 cts

Decorated Earthenware.

Cuspidors, assorted colors	Each 15 cts
Cuspidors, new glaze	Each 10 cts
Majolica Cuspidors	Each 25 cts
Jardinieres	Each 35 cts

Jardinieres and Flower Pots.

Jardinieres, maple, 4-inch	Each 15 cts
Jardinieres, maple, 6-inch	Each 10 cts
Jardinieres, maple, 9-inch	Each $1.00

Glassware.

Tumblers	Each 25 cts
Bud Vases	Each 5 cts
Lemonade Cups	Each 5 cts
Handled Olive Dishes	Each 6 cts
Spoon Trays	Each 7 cts
Bouquet Holders	Each 10 cts
Water Pitcher	Each 25 cts
Tea Set	Set 25 cts

Bohemian Chinaware.
Very Pretty Decoration.

Toothpick Holder	Each 3 cts
Cream Pitcher	Each 5 cts
After Dinner Cup and Saucer	Each 8 cts
Cream Pitcher	Each 8 cts
Tea Pot Stands	Each 10 cts
Mugs	Each 10 cts
Cup, Saucer and Plate	Set 12 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Candlestick	Each 15 cts
Sugar and Cream Set	Set 15 cts
After Dinner Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Butter Dish	Each 25 cts
Sugar and Cream Set	Each 25 cts
Cup, Saucer and Plate	Set 25 cts
Cuspidores	Each 28 cts
Nut Bowl	Each 35 cts
Cuspidores	Each 35 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 35 cts
Cup and Saucer, moustache	Each 35 cts
Cuspidores	Each 40 cts
Chocolate Pot	Each 51 cts
Cuspidores	Each 75 cts
Cabarets	Each 90 cts
Tea Set	Set 90 cts
Toy Tea Sets	Set 95 cts
Tea Set	Set 90 cts
Cabarets	Each 95 cts
Cabarets	Each 95 cts

Genuine Delft China.

Toothpick Holders	Each 10 cts
Mugs	Each 12 cts
Pin Trays	Each 12 cts
Ash Trays, assorted	Each 15 cts
Jewel Trays	Each 15 cts
Olive Trays, assorted	Each 20 cts
Cream Pitcher	Each 28 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 25 cts
Plates, Dessert	Each 28 cts
Plates, Tea	Each 32 cts
Ink Wells, assorted	Each 35 cts
Placques	Each 35 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 38 cts
Plates, Breakfast	Each 38 cts
Plates, Cake	Each 62 cts
Placques	Each 65 cts

Fancy Bisque Ware.

Novelties	Each 18 cts
Candlesticks	Each 18 cts
Flower Vases	Each 35 cts
Statuary	Each 62 cts
Flower Vases	Each 65 cts

Bohemian Glass.

Cruet or Oil Bottles	Each 18 cts
Vinegar or Rose Holders	Each 18 cts
Rose Bowls, satin	Each 37 cts
Liquor Sets	Set 55 cts

Cutlery, Etc.

Tea Spoons, tin, set of 6	8 cts
Tea Spoons, tin, set of 6	15 cts
Table Spoons, set of 6	25 cts
Carving Set	25 cts
Knives and Forks, Cocoa Handle, set of 12 pieces	60 cts
Knives and Forks, Bone Handle, set of 12 pieces	$1.00

Ten Sets, 44 Pieces.
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Harvest, Plain Spray	Set $3.75
Eola, Wild Flower	Set $3.50
Gold Enamel, Gold Trimmings	Set $3.60
Wind Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $3.50
Gold Illuminated, Gold Trimmings	Set $3.75
Bijou, Bell Flower	Set $3.75
Gold Medallion	Set $3.75
The China, Apple Blossom	Set $3.50

Dinner Set, 60 Pieces.
Best Quality Semi-Porcelain, Handsomely Decorated, with Gold Handles and Trimmings.

Harvest, Plain Spray	Set $4.75
Eola, Wild Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $5.50
Gold Enamel, Gold Trimmings	Set $5.75
Wind Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $5.75
Gold Illuminated, Gold Trimmings	Set $6.25
Bijou, Bell Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $7.15
Gold Medallion, Gold Trimmings	Set $7.15
The China, Apple Blossom, Gold Trimmings	Set $7.50

Dinner Set, 100 Pieces.
Best Quality Semi-Porcelain, Handsomely Decorated, with Gold Handles and Trimmings.

Harvest, Plain Spray	Set $7.50
Gold Enamel, Gold Trimmings	Set $8.50
Wind Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $8.50
Eola, Wild Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $8.50
Gold Illuminated, Gold Trimmings	Set $8.75
Bijou, Bell Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set $9.50
Gold Medallion, Gold Trimmings	Set $9.50
The China, Apple Blossom, Gold Trimmings	Set $9.50

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Harvest, Plain Spray, Soup Tureen	Each $6 cts
Eola, Wild Flower, Soup Tureen	Each $1.00
Gold Medallion Soup Tureen	Each $1.00
Bijou, Bell Flower, Soup Tureen	Each $1.00
The China, Apple Blossom, Soup Tureen	Each $1.00

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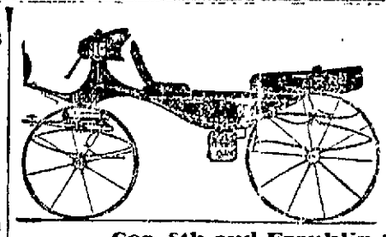

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FAREWELL TO CLASS.

Berkeley Students of '97 Bid Adieu to Alma Mater.

NEAT SENTIMENTS EXPRESSED.

The Noon Hour at the Various Leading Fraternal Houses.

THE GREAT AZTEC PAGEANT.

President W. R. Davis Speaks of the Next Alumni Reunion.

At 10 o'clock this morning the exercises of the graduating class of '97 of the University of California opened at Berkeley.

The first event of interest was a promenade concert by the Presidio Band.

Most of the visitors had arrived upon the grounds by 11 o'clock, there being several thousand friends of the University present at that time to witness the class pilgrimage.

This feature began at the hour mentioned.

Headed by the band, the members of the class, wearing their old service plugs for the last time, passed about the grounds from building to building, bidding a last farewell to those haunts which in four years had grown familiar and so dear to them. The speeches were short and brilliant and the audience was very enthusiastic in its applause.

AT SOUTH HALL.

At South Hall Frank Tade spoke as follows:

"On this farewell visit we remember the pleasant hours of the past four years. To the students of each department that particular building appeals. But the center of affection is South Hall, not the building itself so much as the Professors, above all Prof. Le Conte. Other studies will die early and thankfully, but Prof. Le Conte's studies never. But if studies are forgotten, their influence remains. To our successors we leave the pleasures we have enjoyed."

Cries were then given for "Professor Joe."

At Agricultural College G. F. Reinhardt said: "Here we have the remains of what we know as Agricultural College. The loss has been severe."

The speaker dwelt mostly in the reading of puns. Referring to the recent destruction of the building by fire, he finished: "We will have a better building in the hazy future, and the memories of our famous fire fighters will ever live in our minds."

AT THE LIBRARY.

At the Library Fred Magee said: "Above all others, this building is dear to us. The librarians have aided us greatly. The library stands for our motto, 'Let there be light.' The valuable thoughts in the books have united all the colleges. The library is often used for other purposes. Few of us have made the best use of the opportunity. Success in college depends on the use of opportunities. Coming with sordid motives is degrading. If we have used our opportunities well, we have made a true success.

"Advantages come also from contact with mind in the professors, but books are more lasting and better in our college life. We have borne responsibilities and helped the good cause by contact with other students. We must continue thus by identifying ourselves with the college.

At the chemistry building Robert Easton said: "After four years of work, we leave with sorrow. From the Freshie experiments up, honors are fraught with pathetic memories. In leaving Pop Rising, our regret is large. But we will show results. (Amid explosions, skeletons of bats, turkeys, etc., chemical experiments.)

MINING BUILDING.

At the mining building, W. E. Cole spoke.

"After four years' work," he said, "we are prepared to startle the world with knowledge. Not for two years after entering college do we reach this building, and it is therefore more dear to us than any other. Great names must fade before our members. No class has equaled us in brilliancy. One morning is not enough for the mining students to show their knowledge in an 'ex.'

"To those who founded this University our thanks are due. With our superior fitting, we shall one and all be proud of our famous members."

NORTH HALL.

At North Hall, A. W. Ransome spoke.

"As I stand here, where the North Hall 'step bums' (most of them '97) are accustomed to sit, the glories of our career overcome me. Here it is that we discuss our athletic victories. We have made up for Thanksgiving Day, and next year we will assemble here to discuss a football victory."

President Kellogg on being called for said: "North Hall is much obliged to you. From being best it is now worst looking. It must soon be rebuilt. But much good work has been done. In these walls more students have been gathered than in any other. North Hall says farewell."

The class then disbanded for the lunch hour.

AT THE FRAT HOUSES.

Where Many Ladies and Students Took the Noon Day Lunch.

During the lunch hour the different fraternity houses were thrown open and dainty repasts were served to the guests.

The Zeta Psi Hall was decorated as if for a flower carnival. Green boughs and palms nodded down the long hall, solid banks of roses surrounded the mantel pieces, and here and there were groups of rare orchids.

Among the guests were Miss Alice Sprague, Miss Florence Stone, Miss Jessie Hobart, Miss Marie Wilson, the Misses Robbins, Mrs. R. D. Robbins, Miss Rodgers, Miss Susie Blanding, Miss Helen Crocker, Miss Louise Crocker, Miss Sarah Dean, Miss May Budd, Mrs. John Budd, Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Miss Mattie Wellington, Miss Agnes Buchanan, Mrs. Cyrus Walker, Mrs. Ira Pierce, Miss Beatrice Steel, Mrs. R. L. G. Steele, Miss Elsie Bennett, Miss Ella Sterrett, Mrs. Watkinson, Miss Bertha Foote, Miss and Mrs. Vohees, Mrs. Van Wyck, Mrs. Wm. Dutton, the Misses Dutton, Miss Ethel Kittredge, Miss Simmons.

THE CHI PHI.

The Chi Phi house was decorated by the patronesses and showed remarkably fine taste. The grouping of roses, orchids, pinks and bright-hued blossoms made a delightful picture. The spacious rooms gave opportunity for a telling arrangement of palms and ferns. Among the ladies were: Miss Alice Ames, Miss Bessie Ames, Miss Mollie Thomas, Miss May Belle Gwinn, Miss Daisy Van Ness, the Misses Tompkins, Miss Carro Crocket, the Misses Burton, Miss Pratt, Miss Clara Huntington, Miss Lucy Jackson, Miss May Messer, Miss Marie Wells, Mrs. Hoffman, the Misses Hoffman, Miss Blakeman, Miss Ethel Keeny, Miss Gertrude Foreman, Miss Joceylin, Miss Helen Hopkins, Miss Carrie Haven, Mrs. C. D. Haven, Miss Amy McKee, Miss Williams, the Misses Crellin, Miss Mary McNutt, Miss Ruth McNutt, Mrs. Pringle, Mrs. Hutchinson, Miss Hess Pringle, Miss Belle Mboon, the Misses Hutchinson.

SIGMA CHI.

Among those entertained by the Sigma Chi fraternity were: Mrs. Salisbury, Miss Kate Salisbury, Mrs. Pierce, Miss Pierce, Miss Quinan, Mr. Allen Wright, Mrs. F. Powers, Col. and Mrs. Mendell, Prof. and Mrs. Gayley, Mr. and Mrs. Leachman, Misses Crosley, H. Dutton, Frank L. Winn, Miss Juliet Williams, W. S. Wright, Mrs. Green, Misses Green, Temple Smith, Mrs. A. R. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Glascock, Miss Glascock.

PHI GAMA DELTA.

At the home of the Phi Gama, among those noticed were: Miss Gertrude Palmer, Mrs. Will Sanborn, Mrs. John Sanborn, Miss Ethel Pomeroy, Miss Grace Holt, Miss Florence Stone, Miss Clara Carpenter, Mrs. A. W. Havens, Mrs. A. H. Vorhees, Mrs. W. H. Smith, Mrs. E. F. Preston, Mrs. Henry Gibbons, Miss Jennie Rawlins, Miss Nettie Black, Miss Bernie Drown, Miss Dorothy Stubbs, Miss Edith Stubbs, Miss Mollie Hind, Miss Gertrude Bates, Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Hess Pringle, Miss Annie Clay, the Misses Sinclair, Miss Stevenson, the Misses Hush, Miss Carmen Moore.

SIGMA NU.

The Sigma Nu house, too, attracted many visitors, among whom were: Misses Seiz, Miss Bruntsch, Miss Gorrill, Miss Clift, Miss Beauman, Miss Terrill, Miss Mason, Miss Ella Holmes, Miss Marjorie Irwin, Miss Bessie Cole, Miss Margaret Cole, Miss Bassett, Miss Ellinwood, Miss Buckley, Miss Marion Whipple, Miss Lillie Webster, Miss Ella Morgan, Miss Frances Currey, Miss Belle Gwin, Misses Kent, Miss Wickson, Prof. and Mrs. Wickson, Miss Julia Crocker, Miss Mae Weldon, Miss Agnes Buchanan, Hon. and Mrs. Denicke, Hon. and Mrs. Horace Davis, Miss Mabel Bacon, Miss Muller, Misses Knowlton, Miss Stella Docan, Miss Dillon, Misses Rooney, Miss Theresa Rooney.

BETA THETA PI.

Among the visitors at the house of the Beta Theta Pi were the Misses Fore, Mr. and Mrs. Will Magee, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee, Miss Etta Havens, the Misses Gorrill and others.

THE AZTEC CEREMONY.

An Imposing Ritual Carried Out in Been Weed Amphitheatre.

At 2 P. M. the Class of '97 assembled and the members proceeded to attire themselves in the weird and fitting garments for the Aztec funeral.

Some of the chief characters wore elaborate costumes, while others of the class dressed in robes and wore such trinkets as would bespeak the austere Aztec.

The scene of the ceremonies was the old Ben Weed amphitheatre, among the tall trees at the rear of the chemistry building.

The site at the amphitheatre was a striking one. The spectators fairly lined the surrounding slopes.

The light attire of the ladies, the picturesque costumes of the different classes, surrounded and brightened by the green foliage and turf, made a picture not soon to be effaced from memory.

Down in the center of the arena a pyramid had been erected and around it were seats for those who were to take part in the ceremonies.

At the first sound of the music and the singing of the advancing class, every body became quiet and expectant.

It was to be the funeral of the great chief of the people of King Calchapan, and to the music of "The King of France" the class advanced singing the ode:

"The King of Calchapan, with thirty thousand men,
He marched 'em up a hill, he marched 'em down again,
And when they were up, they were up,
And when they were down, they were down,
And when they were in the middle, they
Were neither up nor down."

"And why did they go up, and why did they go down?
There was a mighty chief who died in Berkeley town;
And when he was live he was live,
And when he was dead, he was dead,
And when he was just a dying, he
Was neither live nor dead.

"And who was that great chief, that chief of wide renown?
The class of Ninety-Seven of famous Berkeley town;
To honor him we come,
To honor him we go,
And when we stop to honor him
We neither come nor go."

This they continued to sing while they marched about the pyramid, until the four censors commanded silence. Then the four masked priests took their places.

Then Calchapan, the king, took his seat and the ceremony began. The Herald commanded silence and the king addressed his people. Then the pipe of peace was smoked by the king and his priests, the subjects being allowed the pleasure of looking on.

The priests arose, when this act was finished, and scattering paper and sand about the altar proceeded to banish the hoodoo after due Aztec manner.

Next to arrive upon the scene was the high priest, and his party, consisting of mourners and sacrificed victims.

They entered the amphitheatre to the weird music of the "musele dance," singing about "bones, bones, bones," and carrying a bier. This they deposited on the pyramid and assumed their positions, while the high priest offered prayer.

Following the prayer the high priest called, "Oh thou, most fearful scribe of the Allokspzechshaten, who has been chosen to make known unto all the world the virtues and valor of our dead great Chief, come forward unto his bier and read his eulogium unto the assembled multitude!"

The chief mourner approached and delivered the eulogy.

The chief mourner thought it would be a pleasant thing for a few of the victims to be killed, so that their spirits accompany the dead chieftain. The cry for gore then arose and the executioner took his place, while the high priest kindled a fire upon the altar. The victim was next chained to the altar and the executioner stood ready to deal the awful blow.

At this moment, however, an explosion took place and a veiled figure rose out of the pyramid in a cloud of smoke, uttering strange cries.

The high priest interpreted the cries to mean that there should be no killing.

A compromise was made on offerings from the victims. Each victim brought up a present suitable to his college life.

This being done, and the pyramid cleared, save for censors and high priest the choirs sang to the tune of "Our Team's a Daisy," these words:

Choirs: "Hultzlopechtli
Hecochahopti
Nomakaskihi
Pocatapetl;
Amashichakmool
Bobtallipakmool—
Mourners: Why-in-the-deuce-don't-you--read-that-will?
Choirs: Shutupaliti.

Choirs: Iztaccihuatl
Gotablakhotl
Mattacolscotl
Potzdonnerhol!
Crambambahoika
Wesberkilhorska—
Mourners: "Why-in-the-deuce don't-you-read-that-will?
Choirs: Nohoipallot!

Choirs: "Chicunahupan
Frainastupan
Allahurupan
Mayallakan!
Salvagobangwhang
Scaranorangtang—
Mourners: "Why-in-the-deuce don't-you-read trat-will?
Choirs: Yushutamau!

The reading of the will of the dead chieftain, furnished considerable amusement.

Following the reading the class sang,

"Here's to Ninety-seven,
Dead and gone, dead and gone;
Here's to Ninety-seven,
Dead and gone, dead and gone;
Here's to Ninety-seven,
In the Great Alumni Heaven,
Dead and gone, dead and gone, dead and gone,
Gone, gone!

"Here's to Berkeley College,"—etc.

With a last "Ha, ha, ha! California, U. C., Berkeley. Zip boom-ah!" the exercises closed, and the Class of '97 was ready for its battle with the world.

The others who took leading parts in the exercises were A. P. McNutt, Dudley Dean, F. Finnegan, M. S. Blanchard, C. A. Elston, E. H. Hoag, C. Brackenbury, E. G. Hockabout, S. W. Cartwright, F. Taylor, George Whipple, Miss Augustine, Miss Whitehead, Miss Olney, Miss Young, Miss Price, Miss Culver, Miss Helm, and Miss Gregory.

THE ALUMNI BANQUET.

It Will Be the Largest and Grandest of the Series.

President W. R. Davis Announces the Full Programme for the Occasion.

The arrangements were completed today for the annual meeting and banquet of the Alumni Association of the U. C. The gathering will be held at the California Hotel, San Francisco, next Tuesday evening.

President W. R. Davis of this city declares it will be the largest gathering of the kind yet held. "There are now," he said today, "1,200 alumni of the University of California. These are four year term men, and do not include all the special course men and the graduates of the medical and law departments. With these our number will be about 2,500. In nearly every county of the State there has been an effort made to secure a full attendance, and I am certain that it will be the largest attended banquet ever held by the University of California alumni.

"I have just received replies from all over the State, and am able to announce the following programme for the evening:

"The opening speech will be made by myself, and the following toasts and responses will be given:

"'State Aid and Scholarships,' by John E. Budd.

"'Phoebe Hearst's Endowment,' Professor William Carey Jones.

"'Old Times and Us Old Fellows,' John R. Glascock of the old California College before the University of California was founded.

"'End or Commencement—Which?' by Arthur Elston, '97.

"'Alma Mater, Her Achievements and Supporters,' by G. W. Pearce of Yolo county.

"'The Young Graduate on the Grade,' F. H. Dam of San Francisco.

"'Commission and Omission,' by D. F. McWade, '97.

"All these speeches will be five minutes in length, and then will follow free lance speaking, in which many will participate."

Acting upon a suggestion, Mr. Davis wishes to have it understood that full dress, or evening dress, is "not a qualification for attendance at the alumni banquet May 12th. On the contrary, every man and every woman graduate of the University will be heartily welcome, irrespective of the apparel that may be most convenient or agreeable to him or her."

The vocal music will be in charge of the University Quartette, and they have prepared a typical U. C. programme.

FIGHT HAS COMMENCED.

Receiving Hospital Attaches Are Refused Their Pay.

Why and How the Institution Was Assumed by the County.

The attendants at the Receiving Hospital made application to County Auditor Whidden yesterday afternoon for their salary warrants, but the request was refused the documents, as the legality of the claims has been questioned.

Auditor Whidden will withhold the warrants until the question of the ledoctor and after suffering for a time institution is decided.

According to Captain Wilson who has been on the police force from a time before there was a Receiving Hospital, it would seem that the hospital was originally a city institution.

"Many years ago," said Captain Wilson, "there was no Receiving Hospital and when anybody was injured he was carried into the city prison, somebody would be detailed to go and dig up a doctor and after suffering for a time the patient would be attended to and sent home.

"There was an outburst of indignation over this treatment and eventually the Supervisors took the matter in hand and established a hospital for the whole county.

"People have been brought to it from all parts of the county and it is certainly right that everybody should take a hand in supporting it."

STIMPSON'S QUEER STORY.

He Says Money Was Mentioned in the Health Office Patronage.

Dr. Stimpson, the Democrat who was turned down for veterinary inspector of the Board of Health, is spreading a story that he was told he could have the place for $200. He declares that Mr. Houston, a mining man with desk room in the office of Benham & Thomas on Ninth street, told him that it had been decided to levy an assessment on those who were to get positions and that his share would be $200. "I told him I did not have that amount," says Stimpson, "and he asked if I had $25. I gave him $20, all I had."

Stimpson further states that a day or two afterwards he was told that he was to be turned down and that he then went to Houston who returned him his $20 saying that the slate had been cracked.

Mayor Thomas denies any knowledge of the story and Houston in regard to it said to a reporter:

I can assure you I would not sell such an office for $20. Dr. Stimpson came to me some time ago and requested me to speak a good word for him, as he had worked for Thomas. I then went to the mountains, and did not return until Wednesday. Meanwhile the Board was appointed and made its selections, which were later declared illegal.

"Wednesday Dr. Stimpson came in to see me, and asked me to see a physician whom he believed was to be on the Board. I did so, and he placed $20 on the desk, and told me he would give more when he was in office. I told him I did not want his money, and did what I could without any thought of remuneration. I am not in the business of office brokerage."

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Studying the Elements.

The metereological synopsis for the past month as recorded by the Students Observatory at the University, shows that the mean barometer was 30.098; the highest point reached was on the 20th of the month, when it registered 30.357, the lowest, 29.886, was on the 26th.

The mean temperature of the thermometer was 56 degrees; the warmest day was the 24th, when 69 degrees were registered, while on the coldest day, the second of the month, 45 degrees were recorded.

The rainfall for April was .445 inches, making a total since July 1st, 1896, of 28.450, as against 27.773 of last year. The number of clear days was 19; fair days, 5; cloudy days, 6.

"STARS" ALONE CAN TELL

A "Behind-Doors" Talk of the Chief to the City's Guardians.

Suggestions and Censures Not Intended for Public Ears.

At the conclusion of the inspection of the police force in front of the City Hall yesterday afternoon, the officers were marched upstairs to the Council chamber and were addressed by Chief Lloyd.

This is done every month or so, whenever the Chief thinks conditions make it necessary. The lectures are always held behind closed doors because at times the officers are censured in a general way. The Chief takes this method of censuring when the offenses do not warrant the bringing before him of individual offenders.

At these meetings the Chief also reads and explains new ordinances or ordinances that have a peculiar significance at that time.

The ordinance requiring property owners to keep their sidewalks free from grass and weeds was one of the latter read yesterday.

The Board of Police and Fire Commissioners had been invited to be present at yesterday's meeting, but Mayor Thomas was the only one who was able to respond.

The Mayor also addressed the assembled policemen. He complimented them and the Chief on the improvement in the force over former years, and said the present Board of Commissioners was determined to uphold the Chief in his efforts to maintain discipline in the department.

TO REMACADAMIZE.

Several Streets Are Named for Improvement Under the Roller.

At the next meeting of the Council Superintendent of Streets Miller will introduce a resolution of intention to re-macadamize with the new steam roller the following streets: Fifteenth between Broadway and Franklin; Seventeenth street, between Clay and Grove; Twelfth street, between Clay and Market; Eighth street, between Franklin and the Eighth-street bridge. The city will furnish the use of the roller and the property owners will have to pay for the rock and labor. The cost to property owners will not exceed 2 cents a square foot in any instance.

A BANGLE LOST.

A piece of jewelry of considerable value has been lost by Miss Elsie M. Cushing of 870 Adeline street. It is a cable link gold bangle and it is thought that it was lost either on Thirteenth or Franklin streets. The finder is requested to return the property to Miss Cushing and receive a reward.

W. C. T. U Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. of Oakland will hold its second evening meeting Monday, May 10th, at the First Methodist Episcopal Church, room No. 5 at 7:30 o'clock. All friends are cordially invited to attend. The programme will be as follows:

Devotional exercises, Mrs. Ida Jewell Baker; business paper, Mrs. Mary Lathrop; address, Mrs. Reisner; "Prison Work," Mrs. A. B. Gove.

A Unitarian Conference.

The Woman's Unitarian Conference which is meeting at Portland, Ore., in conjunction with the Pacific Unitarian Conference, has elected officers for the ensuing year and Mrs. C. H. Redington of this city has been elected treasurer.

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A DULL SEASON.

London Weather Is Too Chilly for Much Outdoor Gaiety.

MANY APPEALS FOR CHARITY.

An Enormous Sum Contributed for the Famine Fund.

THE JUBILEE PREPARATIONS.

Many Excellent Shows Staged at the Leading Theaters.

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LONDON, May 8.—Although the town is full and summer clubs, like the Hurlingham and Ranelagh are open, outdoor gaieties hang fire. The ladies are still wearing their furs and overcoats and are quite comfortable. Society is already on the qui vive in anticipation of the five fancy dress balls to be given by prominent hostesses. They promise a commotion approaching the Bradley Martin ball. A feature of the Duchess of Devonshire's will be an Oriental quadrille with Lady de Gray as Cleopatra, and Lady Dudley in a Byzantine costume.

Mrs. Arthur Paget, Lady Colbrooke and Miss Muriel Wilson will give the second ball at Holland House. The guests will appear in the costumes of their ancestors as painted by Gainsborough and Reynolds.

At Mr. Cavendish Bentick's ball the costumes worn will be similar to those which were the fashion at the beginning of the reign of Queen Victoria.

Lady Naylor-Leyland, formerly Miss Jane Chamberlain of Cleveland, Ohio, will also give a costume ball.

The Queen did a graceful thing on Thursday and delighted Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone by summoning their granddaughter, Dorothy Drew, to Windsor Castle. Her Majesty was anxious to see the child which figured so prominently in Mr. Gladstone's domestic life. Dorothy left Hawarden on Wednesday, accompanied by her mother, and from London to Windsor traveled with the Princess Louise. On arriving at Windsor they were met by Hon. William H. P. Carrington, one of the equerries in ordinary, with a royal carriage, to take them to the castle. After luncheon with the Queen Miss Drew returned to town.

The Prince and Princess of Wales and Princess Maude of Wales (Princess Charles of Denmark) are spending Sunday with the Duke of Westminster at Eaton Hall, Chester, where a large party has been gathered to meet them. On Monday the Prince and Princess of Wales will drive to Hawarden and lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone. Each member of the royal family will plant a tree at Hawarden as a memorial of the occasion.

The appeals to the charity of the Londoners are endless and are generally answered generously. The Mansion House Indian famine fund has now reached nearly the sum of £520,000 or £5,000 more than was raised during the whole course of the last famine.

The Daily Chronicle within a week has raised nearly £9,000 for the Greek wounded. The Prince of Wales Hospital fund alone hangs fire.

The yearly deficit of the London hospitals is over £100,000, and the Prince hoped to raise three million pounds. It is doubtful if even £500,000 will be obtained, but the Prince of Wales will personally address a meeting of bankers, merchants and other prominent people in the city and will appeal for more money for the hospital fund.

THE TRANSVAAL AFFAIR.

Great importance is attached to the decision of the Transvaal Volksraad at a secret session held at Pretoria, the capital, on Wednesday last, to repeal the Transvaal immigration law. The meeting was held to discuss the answer to be made to the dispatches of the British Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Jos. Chamberlain, who demanded a repeal of the law. The law was repealed, but it is explained that this step was taken, not because the measure was a breach of the London convention, but because it was distasteful to neighboring States.

The Transvaal States Attorney tendered his resignation in disapproval of the repeal. This action of the Transvaal Government, it is said here, clearly indicates a back-down on the part of President Kruger and the Volksraad, and renders the chances of war remote. It is the most important concession yet made by the Transvaal, and removes the chief cause of friction, not only between the Transvaal and Great Britain, but between Cape Colony and the Transvaal. It was on this point that Mr. Chamberlain's dispatches took almost the form of an ultimatum.

THE THEATERS.

The past week has been uneventful for the theatrical world. Ibsen's "John Gabriel Borkman," which was produced at a matinee on Monday at the Grand Theatre attracted but little attention aside from the devotees of Ibsen.

The revival of the "Yeoman of the Guard" at the Savoy Theater on Wednesday was successful and will probably run the season, though the cast compares unfavorably with that of the original production. Gilbert and Sullivan received an ovation.

The royal opera season opens on next Monday night at Covent Garden, when "Faust" will be performed.

Wilson Barrett brought out his revival of "Virginius" at the Lyric Theater last Monday. He has made several changes in the original work of Sheridan Knowles, thereby causing some comment. French illustrative music and scenery was provided, and the principal characters were assumed by Franklin McLeay as "Icilius," Alfred B. Dydone as "Appius Claudius," T. W. Dereival as "Cassius Claudius," Ambrose Manning as "Deltatus," Horace Hodges as "Numitodius," Maud Jefferies as "Virginia" and Frances Iver as "Servia."

Milo. Landi, the singer who is in London for the season, has been engaged for a tour of forty concerts in Germany and Austria from November next to March, 1898.

George Giddens will, during the afternoon of Tuesday, produce at the Vaudeville Theater a new farcical comedy in three acts, entitled "Solomon's Twins." The author is Kinsey Peile. Mr. Giddens will in the play appear incidentally as a lady bicyclist. The company supporting him is composed of Messrs. Blakeley, Collette and Wyse, Mrs. E. Peples and Phyllis Broughton.

John Hare's first appearance at the Court Theater will occur next Saturday night in a revival of Pinero's comedy "The Hobby Horse," in which he will play his original part of "Spencer Jermin."

Lottie Venne, Louise Beadette, E. J. Lonnon and William Ellin have been engaged for Dr. Osmond Carr's new opera shortly to be produced at the Opera Comique.

During her London engagement in June, Madame Rejane will produce, in addition to "Madame Sans Gene," "La Douloureuse" and "Francillon," in which latter comedy she has not appeared in Paris, its rights being owned by the Comedie Francaise.

THREE STORIES.

But None of the Authors Have Applied for a Copyright.

The Union this morning tells a fish story which is a whopper and no mistake. According to the veracious chronicler, a twety-foot whale entered chronicler, a twenty-foot whale entered afternoon and proceeded to splash around in a manner that was truly terrifying. Indeed, we we are told that the noise of the monster's spouting could "be plainly heard a mile or more distant." The "water was made to fairly boil," and the "black tail could be seen to beat the air and sea in great fury." Now this would be really alarming if it were not also stated that the critter was last seen near Coronado boathouse, almost inside Glorieta bay, just east of the hotel, which leads us to conclude that, after all, it was only the far-famed Coronado octopus out for an airing.—Santa Cruz Sentinel.

A Lower California miner fell down a forty-foot shaft last week. No bones were broken. Internally he felt as did many municipal candidates here on the evening of April 6th, after the vote had been counted—he was a trifle sore.—Selma Tribune.

A den of California lions has been discovered in the hill back of Sunol, and, strange to say, the cat-like beasts have been making their home in the basement of a farm house. The premises had been vacant for some time, but a family moved in about ten days ago. They were disturbed both day and night by peculiar noises under the house, and they almost became convinced that the place was the rendezvous of spooks, hobgoblins and bogie men. About noontime last Saturday while the children were playing about the yard, they heard a great commotion in the cellar. A portion of it is very deep and partially filled with water. There was a splashing noise and an occasional roar from this place that almost scared the youngsters to death. They rushed into the house and called their parents. The father peeped under the cellar and saw a huge lion come out of the water and curl himself up in one corner of the basement. Nearby was his mate and several cubs. The man rushed for a shotgun but before his return the lioness and her cubs had disappeared. The father of the flock, however, was shot. He measured six feet from tip to tip.—Pesaanton Times.

A Large Family.

This woman could own France, if she were of that nationality and cared to own it, in the present fear that the French race may dissappear from the face of the earth. Alas, she was not born in France, but is a Viennese. She is 40 years old and has already presented her husband with thirty-two children at eleven births, according to the Wienor Medicinische Wochenschrift. Twenty-six of them are boys and six girls, at the first birth four were born, at the second three, at the third four, at the fifth three at the sixth two, at the seventh and eight three each, at the ninth two, at the tenth and eleventh three each. The mother has nursed them all herself. She has suffered from epilepsy since her fifteenth year, but none of the children so far show any sign of the disease. The woman was one of the four children born at one birth, her mother having borne thirty-eight children. She is the wife of a poor linen weaver, who would be perfectly excusable if he too, were attacked with epilepsy. Such a display of babies would paralyze the average father. He ought surely to be pensioned.

A gentleman who is in the habit of going about much among his fellow creatures, and interests himself in the affairs of all sorts and conditions of men, chanced to enter a humble cottage. The family were about seating themselves at the table for their evening meal, and were requested by the visitor not to permit his presence to interrupt them. The little group yielded to his request and bowing their heads repeated in concert, the following pretty invocation:

"God bless our going out nor less
Our coming in, and make them sure,
God bless our daily bread, and bless
Whate'er we do, whate'er endure;
In death unto His peace awake us.
And heirs of His salvation make us."

This town has perhaps the smallest regular bonded debt of any metropolitan city in the country. Outside of the water works indebtedness it is only $660,000.

Barnum's famous expression, "The public loves to be humbugged," was perhaps borrowed from Mackenzie, who wrote: "Mankind in the gross is a gaping monster that loves to be deceived, and has seldom been disappointed."

IN CECILIA'S REALM.

Oakland People Pay Tribute to the Patroness of Music.

RELIANCE CLUB GATHERINGS.

An Excellent Performance of the Great Zech Quartette.

THE MOULD-MORGAN CONCERT.

A Resume of Musical Features in Various Parts of the World.

On Monday evening next the Reliance Club will give a "Ladies' Night" which might more properly be termed a debut concert. The programme for the evening will consist of instrumental and vocal music, by the newly organized orchestra of thirty pieces and a chorus of twenty-five male voices.

"The affair is attracting much attention, especially as on the evening the Reliance orchestra will make its bow to the public. This is a fine aggregation of musicians, which threatens to drive the colors of some of the other organizations in existence in Oakland.

The next move the Club will make will be the organization of a glee club. This will be composed of fourteen good voices to be set off by twice the number of other singers. The chorus will be an attractive feature of the Reliance Club hereafter.

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On next Thursday evening a benefit concert will be tendered to Mrs. Kate Mould-Morgan, at the First Unitarian Church. It will be one of the features of the musical season and certainly demands what it will undoubtedly receive—a large and appreciative attendance.

Mrs Morgan will be heard in several numbers. She possesses a fine contralto voice of unusual quality and her selections will certainly be pleasing.

Among the other talent which will assist, are: Miss Alice Ames, violinist; Miss Caroline Little, mezzo-soprano; Miss Florence N. Boyer, soprano; Alfred Wilkie, tenor, H. A. Melvin, basso, and the Temple Quartette, composed of Messrs. Clark, Wilkie, Melvin, and Carleton.

The concert will certainly be a very fine one and there will be but few of Oakland's musical circles who will miss it.

Mrs. Morgan is remembered as the widow of the late George L. Morgan, formerly City Attorney of Oakland. As pretty Kate Mould, then a clerk in Hardy's book store, she became his wife, but death left her alone in the world with four children to support. Mrs. Morgan, however, did not grieve, but went bravely to work and in a short time built up a fine business of making paper boxes. Her babies grew and the little fellows helped her. Then came the paper trust with its overwhelming competition. Mrs. Morgan's thriving and growing little business was crushed out of existence. She could not compete against millionaires, and when business failed, ill-health followed, and her resources diminished.

Now, however, Mrs. Morgan is about again and she will be gladly welcomed Thursday night.

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Local music circles were pleasantly invaded last Saturday by W. F. Zech and his string quartette. A thoroughly artistic recital from the works of Haydn' Scumann, and Volkmann was given at the home of Mr Blanchart, 1319 Tenth avenue. It was in no wise a public affair. About sixty lovers of music were present, and their quiet appreciation more than compensated for the enthusiasm connected with a big audience.

Zech is an artist who interprets the broad thoughts of the great masters of music as faithfully as he does their most delicate conceptions, and with a finesse, a technique, a confidence that is perfect. The pupil of the great Hallir is an acquisition to the musical circles of this city. He will do his part in the revival now fortunately on in our musical life. He was ably assisted by his well organized quartette, including Mr. Hess, second violinist; Mr. Van der Mehden, 'cello and Mr. Blankart, violin, and Miss Belle Chamberlain, very well known in Oakland and a clever pianiste, also distinguished herself in the difficult Schumann Quintette.

Two quartettes, one by Volkmann, in C. minor, and the other by Haydn, in D major, were given. Zech, of course was the cynosure of all eyes. His spiccato bowing in the quick movement of Haydn's quartette, suggesting the Gypsy Rondo tro was pure and perfect and his stallato bowing was equally noteworthy. In the slow movements his masterful, broad tone gave a sonorous impressiveness to the music. The quartette has been thoroughly drilled and plays with great evenness and nice emphasis.

The spirited and difficult ending of Haydn's quartette was a fine piece of ensemble work in which the 'cellist showed to advantage.

Zech wears his laurels easily and his quartette is certainly an organization of merit. It is to be hoped that the organization will be heard publicly, and, unless I am mistaken it has been proposed by some of our music lovers, so facilitate the giving of a few public recitals by a canvass for subscriptions.

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The rehearsals of the big chorus for the National Convention of Christian Endeavorers, continue in sections throughout the bay cities. The Oakland chorus will have the advantage of those in other cities, for it is under the direct leadership of A. M. Benham who will conduct the congregated chorus. All, or nearly of the chorus singers have joined the chorus and when the clans are gathered, the big choir will be able to render music which promises to surprise the Eastern visitors.

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The concert to be given by the Congregational Orchestra on the 27th of this month will be a very interesting affair. Dennis O'Sullivan will be the soloist and he will be heard in several of his best numbers. The orchestra will play overtures from Haydn's symphony; Strauss' waltzes and there will also be a number of short solos on wind instruments. Charles Pagells will be the solo violinist.

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At the concert given by the San Francisco Art Association, at Mark Hopkins Institute, Thursday night, Miss Eva Shorey made a decided success with her solos. She sang Hayden's, "My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair;" Vannini's "Mein Gretchen," "Confession," by Kathren Rodgers; Tosti's, "Donna Vorrei Morir" and "Without Thee" by d'Hardelot.

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A brilliant reception and flag presentation will take place under the auspices of La Estrella Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West at Native Sons Hall in San Francisco on Wednesday evening next. Mrs. Grace E Dodge of this city has been specially engaged to sing the flag song with which she served such a success at Monterey at the raising of the flag.

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Wallace A. Sabin gave an organ recital in Alameda last night, at which the following programme was presented:

Fantasie, Sonata, (Rheinberger) Mr. W. A. Sabin.

Israfel, (Oliver King), Mrs. Olive Reed.

(a) Andante in G, (b) Elevation in A flat, (Guilmant); (c) Choral and Variations, (Henry Smart), Mr. Sabin.

Violin solo, Miss Alice Ames.

(a) Bourree in D, (W. A. Sabin); (b) Nocturne in B, (Chopin); (c) Concert, Fantasie in D, (R. P. Stewart), Mr. Sabin.

Ave Maria, (Mascagni), Mrs. Olive Reed.

(a) Album Leaf, (b) Album Leaf, (Grieg); (c) Marche de Fete, (Claussman), Mr. Sabin.

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J. Wheaton Leonard and Miss Rose Broderick will give a benefit concert in Y. M. C. A. Auditorium, San Francisco, on the evening of May 25th. Bernard Mollenhauer, the noted violinist; Mrs W J Batchelder, the pianist and Mrs. McKinzie contralto, will assist the artists.

Mr. Leonard has made an enviable reputation as a soloist. He has a rich baritone voice and under the instruction of W J Batchelder, has come well to the front. He has a number of engagements to sing in San Francisco and San Jose.

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At Florence the former famous operatic composer, Teodalo Mabellini, died recently at the age of eighty. He was a pupil of Mercandante. None of his numerous operas achieved lasting success, however, for he had not much originality, nor was he capable of great dramatic expression. Yet a number of his operas are still given in Italian cities, and his "Rollo," "Genevieve of Florence" and "The Count of Lavagna" are retained on the repertory of many large theaters in Italy. Considerably more important than his operas were his oratorios, "Eudoxia and Paulus," and "The Last Day of Jerusalem," both of which are frequently performed in churches.

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The greatest musical event at Venice of the present season was the recent production of a Spanish work which heretofore was hardly known outside of Spain. It is an operatic tetralogy in the style of Wagner's "Nibelungen Ring." The composer, Filippo Pedrell, named his work the "Pyrenees." It comprises a prologue and three sections, in which he describes the battle royal of the Spaniards against the Moores during the thirteenth century. It is an epic eulogizing the period of youthful chivalry of the Spanish people. Only the prologue was given in Venice, and that only on the concert stage, but the composer had come for the purpose from his native town of Tortosa in Catalonia to Venice, to conduct the rehearsals, and he was also present at the first production.

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Lillian Blauvelt, the American concert singer, has been engaged to sing the part of "The Forest Bird" in the Bayreuth performance of "Siegfried." She will sail for Europe on June 2d.

THE TENOR.

AT LEONA HEIGHTS.

A Fine Open-Air Concert Arranged for Sunday Afternoon.

A concert by Homeir's band will be given Sunday afternoon at Leona Heights, between the hours of 2 and 4 30 o'clock. The programme will be as follows:

PART I.

March from Verdi's opera "Aida"..
..... Reeves
Overture, Raymond.... ..Amb. Thomas
Waltz, Carlotta.... .... ..E. Millocker
Cornet solo, Sea Flower Polka.....
..... Rollinson
Performed by the boy wonders.
Master John Bambridge.
Maybelle Herald the Approach of Spring .... Eilenberg
Offenbachiana, selection from Offenbach operas. ....
.... .Arranged by Boetiger
Ethiopean carnival.... ....Laurendeau

PART II

Coronation march, from "Le Prophete"..... ....G. Meyerbeer
Overture, Barber of Seville.. Rossini
Ballet music from "Faust," (Suite 1)
....Gounod
(1) Waltz for the corps de ballet.
(2) Ensemble for Helen and Her Trojan Maidens
(3) Entry of the Nubian slaves.
(4) Solo dance of Cleopatra.
Espanita, Spanish waltz.....G. Rosey
In Darkest Africa..... ....J. H. Sousa
Medley, "A Gay Old Boy".L. O DeWitt
Drone march..... ....L. A. Shiok

AT BLAIR PARK.

A Fine Programme and a Balloon Ascension Tomorrow.

Ritzau's Band of Soloists will render the following programme at Blair Park tomorrow.

March, "El Capitan". ....Sousa
Overture "Orpheus and Eurydice' .. .
. ...Offenbach
Concert waltzes, "My Beauty".....Ziehrer

Leona, male soprano.

Baritone solo, "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep"..... .. ..
Louis Klotz
(Extra special.)

Conlan and Turner, Acme wonders.

Cornet solo, "Palace Life".....Heed
Louis N Ritzau.
(Intermission.)
Comic opera selection, "Robin Hood"..
....De Koven
(Introducing the gems of the opera.)
Grand fantasia, "On My Old Kentucky Home" .... Herbert
Introducing baritone solo, L. Klotz, cornet brigade, Messrs. Ritzau, Kelner, De Vall and Fairgrieve; clarinet corps, Messrs. Keogh, Ritzau, Bangle; trombone and basses, Messrs Tishbein, Hobbs and Peckham; obligato for flute and clogs, Messrs. Oestreicher and Hopkins, the whole ending with the majestic chorus of Ritzau's Band.

Aunt Jemima.

Hunting scene, "In a Black Forest"....
.....Voelker
Valse de concert, "La Gitana"..Buccalossi

Balloon ascension.

Finale medley, "On Popular Airs".....
Musical director, Louis N. Ritzau.
Piedmont cars go direct to the park

SOME STAGE SCENES.

The Passing Show Both at Home and in the Provinces.

WARD AND VOKES NEXT WEEK.

A Humorous Play With a Strong Character Company.

THE OAKLAND'S VAUDEVILLE.

Interesting News Items From Many Theatrical Centers.

Next Monday and Tuesday evenings Ward and Vokes, the magnetic comedians, will appear at the Macdonough Theater in Charles E. Blaney's comedy, A Run on the Bank. In this they will appear in their grotesque characters of Percy and Harold, the English Lords.

The piece is a mine of mirth, from which the clever performers, thirty in number, dig out great gems of wit and rollicking music. It is a satirical burlesque on wildcat banking, and is perfectly suited to the peculiar, quaint humor of the stars. The company is a good one, because they are capable of entertaining an audience for a half hour, and they are given an opportunity to do it. The music is new, as are also all the dances and songs. The costumes are the most elaborate and costly ever seen in farce comedy.

OAKLAND THEATER.

The Oakland Theater has been well patronized this week and Pearl Landers and her company have been very successful in their production of Little Lord Fauntleroy.

Manager Stechan announces the engagement for one week commencing Monday, May 10th, of the International Vaudeville Company direct from the Orpheum circuit. This organization is composed of first class artists and the entertainment is an exceptionally high class one. Among the prominent members are the Zanfella Brothers, La Petite Rose, Olo and Bell, Lindsay Brothers, Miss Wainwright, Miss McClelland and others. The entertainment will consist of songs, dances, Chinese character sketches and acrobatic acts.

BALDWIN THEATER.

El Capitan has been drawing crowded houses at the Baldwin this week. Souza's music is bright and stirring and the solos are excellent. The libretto is decidedly clever and De Wolf Hopper makes the most of his role, and is as comical as ever. While he is the central figure, he has secured a highly pictorial and musically clever company. Edna Wallace Hopper is as charming as ever and is thoroughly delightful in her role. El Capitan will continue at the Baldwin for another week.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

An American Hero has proved to be a drawing card at Morosco's Grand Opera House. It is a lively comedy-drama with excellent spectacular features. Next week the White Rat, a picturesque drama of New York life, is the bill. There will be some excellent scenery showing the East River pier, etc. The Chinese opium joint and laundry will be life-like in their realism. Johnson and Durant, the famous Chinese impersonators and musical team will make their first appearance on this coast.

ALCAZAR THEATER.

East Lynne has been very successful at the Alcazar Theater this week. The drama never wears out its emotional properties and it never fails to touch the hearts of the tender-hearted. It is well cast at the Alcazar and no fault can be found with the acting of any of the company.

THE TIVOLI.

The charming Irish opera, Shamus O'Brien, has attracted crowds at the Tivoli. Denis O'Sullivan makes an attractive head and his magnificent baritone is heard to good advantage in the title role. The opera is well staged and the costumes are fresh and dainty.

THE ORPHEUM.

An excellent bill is on at the Orpheum this week and next. Fleurette and her four Fleurs de Lis is a decided novelty and a most attractive one. Their singing and dancing is both clever and taking. Taciani, the soprano baritone, is very clever, while Madame Orlandi has a charming contralto voice. Ed Latelle, the Andersons, Herr Gials and his baboon and donkey, Marzelo and Millay have new acts.

PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

James O'Neill contemplates a revival of The Dead Heart next season.

It is said that Nestor Lennon intends to retire from the stage and study for the priesthood.

May "Munsey" publishes an excellent picture of Nance O'Neil, a former Oakland girl, who is winning fame and fortune on the stage. In the comments of its stage critics, Munsey says this of the fair young Californian:

"It is not often that an actress barely twenty-one years of age has her name printed in display type on the programmes after her first week's appearance in New York. This good fortune befell Nance O'Neil, now supporting McKee Rankin in True to Life, produced last Christmas at the Murray Hill Theater, where Miss O'Neil, as "a widow and typewriter," "leaped into popularity in a single night," as the programmes aforesaid put it.

Miss O'Neil is another member of that vast host of fair players hailing from the Golden Gate. She is an Oakland girl, and when she was eighteen met Mr. Rankin, who had just opened the Alcazar Theater in San Francisco, and under his auspices she made her debut in "Sara." This was in the fall of 1893, and since then she has played almost fifty parts, varying from Lady Calthorpe in La Belle Russe to Eliza in Uncle Tom's Cabin. She has always been under Mr. Rankin's stage direction, and attributes whatever success she has gained to the fact that she has never been allowed to be other than perfectly natural."

Jessie Busley of the Two Little Vagrants Company, and Gladys Wallis have been engaged by T. D. Frawley to appear in his stock company this summer.

Frederic de Belleville will go abroad next month. He is engaged to play the leading part next season with Julia Arthur in the dramatization of Mrs. Burnett's novel, A Lady of Quality.

E. H. Sothern will soon present at Philadelphia a new comedy, which, if successful, will be seen in New York in the autumn at the Lyceum Theater. Daniel Frohman will not sail for Europe until after the trial of the new play.

John Jack has resumed his original role of John Durbeyfield in Tess of the D'Urbervilles at the Fifth Avenue Theater in New York. Mr. Jack was compelled to relinquish the part five weeks ago to fulfill his contract with Joseph Jefferson, who has just closed his annual short spring season. W. J. Le Moyne, who acted the role during Mr. Jack's absence, will appear in Washington during the summer season in a series of characters similar to those in which he has appeared with the Lyceum Theater Company.

The New Zealand newspapers are full of enthusiastic praise of Mrs. Potter, Kyrie Bellew and their company. They have promised an open-air performance of "As You Like It" in the Government House grounds at Melbourne, in aid of the India famine fund, upon their return to Australia.

Arthur Bourchier has arranged with M. Paul Hervieu for the entire English and Colonial rights of his play "La Loi de l'homme," which is now in the full tide of its success at the Comedie Francaise. The French critics describe M. Hervieu as the coming Dumas of the French stage and "La Loi de l'homme" is being played four nights and one afternoon a week—an exceptional event at the Francaise, where, as a rule, no play is represented more than three times weekly.

W. H. Vernon as Borkman, Martin Harvey as Erhart, J. E. Welch as Foldal, Miss Genevieve Ward as Mrs. Borkman, Miss Elizabeth Robins as Ella, Miss Dora Barton as Frida, and Mrs. Tree as Mrs. Wilton—this is the cast for the performances of Ibsen's John Gabriel Borkman which the New Century Theater of London has in view. Such a cast, of course, is rendered possible only by the fact that the performances will take place in the afternoon.

A novel tendency is noticeable on the German stage in the number of Biblical plays and operas which have of late been produced. Rubinstein's Christ in Bremen, King Saul, Jeptha's Daughter have appeared; Herodias and John the Baptist are in preparation, Jacob and Esau was performed at a theater in Berlin the other day, and Cain's Death will follow shortly. Jacob and Esau was brought out by an amateur dramatic society at the Berlin Neues Theater, and while the author is a young man and has had very little experience in theatrical writing, his work was received with much favor.

TALE OF A JOLLY SKIPPER.

His Ship Is Very Different From Some in the East.

During the past few weeks, many columns of news have been sent over the wires telling of all kinds of atrocities on board ships and of unpolished, inhuman captains and officers.

In strong contrast to this is the following happy little experience of Editor Dalton of the Contra Costa News which he published in his paper.

Mr. Dalton says:

"About the jolliest and most agreeable gentleman it has ever been our good fortune to meet, is Thomas Y. Powles, master of the good ship James Kerr, now lying near Martinez. The captain and his good wife have been in port some three months and during that time have made many friends among our people by their hospitable ways and unassuming manners, and their vessel is almost daily visited by some of our townsfolk who always come ashore with a resolve to again pay a visit to the James Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Powles are accomplished conversationalists, and both are musicians of a high order. Their cabin contains a piano and an organ, and stacks of music, all of which are used and enjoyed by these good folks. They have with them their son Mariner, whom they sent for while here, and who a few months ago completed the course of study in H. M. ship Conway, at Liverpool. He will serve his apprenticeship on the James Kerr. The young man is also a fine musician, his choice of instruments being the violin which he plays with much skill. Captain Powles has a fine resonant voice of the baritone order which he is always ready to make use of for the entertainment of his guests. Another of this genial skipper's accomplishments is that of amateur photographer, and his albums of views and scenes of the different ports he has visited are intensely interesting.

Home life on the James Kerr is a happy one, and the crew, one and all unite in saying that Captain Powles and his wife are the best and kindest masters they ever sailed under. This must be so if for no other reason than that the chief officer of the vessel, Mr. Hole, has been a member of Captain Fowles' crew for something like eighteen years.

Captain Powles was born at Wolverhampton, England, but does not remember his birthplace, as he was brought up at Eastwood Park, Yorkshire. He became imbued with a desire to go to sea and at the age of 13 was sent to H. M. Training Ship Conway, on the Mersey near Liverpool. On finishing his term of instruction he was offered a nomination for the Royal Navy but preferred the merchant service, and before he was 21 years of age was made master of the good ship Prince Oscar. He served her owner, S. R. Graves, M. P. for Liverpool, until the latter's death in 1878, when he married. The sons of Mr. Graves only allowing him to take his wife on one voyage, and desiring her company, he resigned his commission, and almost immediately was appointed captain of the British Commerce of Liverpool, with the assurance that if he made one voyage in her without his better half he should have command of a ship when he returned, and his wife would be allowed to "keep watch" with him. It is said that "love takes wings and flies away," but this time love took wings and flew forth and back again in very quick time, for the British Commerce went from Liverpool to Calcutta and back to Barrow in Furness (discharged a cargo in Calcutta, and reloaded there) in less than eight months. Then together went Tom and the "old woman" in the good ship John O'Gaunt to India many times, to Australia ports, to America North, to America West Coast South, where they witnessed the brutality of human beings during the Chilean revolution. Captain Powles on the death of James Beazley, owner of the John O'Gaunt, had to seek a new home on the "rolling wave" and he found it in the James Kerr, whose construction he superintended in 1891. The vessel is a very handsome one.

Since the year 1866 Captain Powles has visited this port no less than seven times, as master so that he is pretty well known, and knows a few folks himself. He will probably remain here until August when he expects to take a cargo of our wheat away with him.

GOD AND COUNTRY.

Endeavor Gathering and the Fourth of July Parade.

A QUESTION OF EXPENSE.

Preliminaries for the Next Meeting of the Body.

A CALL FOR MANY CARRIAGES.

Christian Endeavorers to Be Driven Through the Town.

The committee of seventeen having in charge the celebrations of the Fourth and 13th of July met in the rooms of the Merchants' Exchange in the Central Bank building last evening.

Those present were F. Sinclair, Theo. Gier, G. W. Arper, P. M. Fisher, E. L. Bunce, W. E. Barnard, J. T. Bell, H. C. Trowbridge, F. A. Webster, Maj. J. F. Hayes and W. H. Cobbledick.

Chairman C. R. Root presided.

Major Hayes, chairman of the military feature, reported that he had made a canvas and believed that the two Oakland companies and the Alameda company were all that could be secured for the parade on the Fourth of July. The companies in San Francisco, San Rafael, Petaluma, Napa, Santa Rosa and San Jose would have to parade in their own towns, as each of those places intended to celebrate the Fourth of July.

San Francisco, he said, was making an effort to secure the Oakland companies. While it was not certain that San Francisco would celebrate, it was more than likely that it would, and he had been told so by General Warfield.

E. E. Bunce of the Decoration Committee said his idea was to have one fine arch in Broadway and also one on Washington street. Those should be decorated, and the Finance Committee should report what amount would be required of Berkeley, Alameda, Fruitvale, etc.

OTHER EXPENSES.

Mr. Gier said that expenses for other things would probably be more important than decorations this year. He thought they could get the people along the line of march to do their own decorating.

Mr. Arper said he thought they would find the expense of constructing arches too great, as was found last year.

J. T. Bell of the Press Committee said he had written a letter to the Livermore Herald, which had been printed in large head-lines, and he intended writing to the other outside papers.

Mr. Bell also spoke of having envelopes and letter heads printed for advertising purposes.

Mr. Arper said he would not announce his Parade Committee until he had been assured that each person whom he would name on the committee would serve and not be a figurehead.

Mr. Bernard of the Carriage Committee said the West Oakland Improvement Club had responded to the invitation to furnish carriages.

The committee in Berkeley thought the Executive Committee a little premature, and the question arose how many rigs it would be expected to furnish.

Mr. Daly said he had canvassed the livery stables of the town, and they had without exception each promised to furnish a rig for the occasion gratis. They all thought that $5 for team and driver would be satisfactory if more outfits were needed.

Mr. Stanley of the West Oakland Improvement Club said that he had brought the matter up in the last meeting of the club, but they had thought it was rather premature. He said the West Oaklanders would do their share towards furnishing carriages.

Mr. Christiansen of the West Oakland Improvement Club said that four persons whom he had seen had promised to furnish rigs.

THE OFFER OF CARRIAGES.

Mr. Hager of Temescal said he had two rigs, one of which he would furnish gratis. Mr. Dozier also had a rig and he was satisfied that they could get a dozen rigs in Temescal free.

Mr. Barnard said that Mr. Naismith of Piedmont had expressed himself as satisfied that thirty teams in his district could be secured gratis.

Mr. Trowbridge said his work in the Exposition would be such that he would have to resign the chairmanship of the Entertainment Committee.

Mr. Gier nominated P. M. Fisher to fill the vacancy in the chairmanship of the Entertainment Committee made vacant by Mr. Trowbridge's resignation.

Mr. Fisher, however, was left in charge of the Advertisement Committee, and John A. Britton was appointed chairman of the Entertainment Committee. Mr. Trowbridge was sent to find Mr. Britton, and the former returned with the statement that Mr. Britton would think the matter over and either accept or reject the chairmanship today.

Mr. Webster of the Water Carnival Committee said the Alameda people had not yet got ready to report. He said it would be high tide on the night of the 5th of July at 10 o'clock.

The question of having a programme was brought up. Mr. Fisher said a Mr. Woodruff wished to get out a neat programme at no expense to the city, but Mr. Bell said there was no need of an official paper. The matter was referred to the Advertising Committee.

Mr. Pembroke suggested having a championship regatta on that day.

Mr. Gier moved that the secretary be instructed to have five or ten thousand envelopes and letter heads printed for advertising purposes. The motion was referred to the Advertising Committee and the secretary.

The meeting then adjourned.

A very rich Frenchman called "Pere" Chapalier made his fortune by utilizing the stale bread of Paris, not only that which came directly from households, but also that found among the garbage of the city. Chapalier was a manufacturer of bread crumbs. He pulverized the stale bread collected by a multitude of agents and either sold the crumbs to restaurants for kitchen use or remolded and baked them in the form of loaves for the poor.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Monday, May 3d, 1897.

The Board of Supervisors met at ten o'clock A. M.

The roll was called and all members found to be present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved without alteration.

APPLICATIONS FOR RELIEF.

The following made application for relief, viz: referred to the following Supervisors:

To Supervisor Mitchell:

Charles Wilson, 1721 Filbert street, age 76, nativity Sweden, widower.

Mrs. Chas. Lopes, West Berkeley, age 36, nativity Germany, deserted, six children.

To Supervisor Roeth:

J. W. Swain, Fifteenth avenue between East Twelfth and Fourteenth streets.

To Supervisor Church

A. J. Costa, aged 35, married.

REPORTS OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

The following reports were presented, viz:

Supervisor Wells, District No. 1, showing 185 indigents assisted at a cost of $315.50.

Supervisor Talcott, District No. 2, showing 119 indigents assisted, amount allowed $1.50.

Supervisor Church, District No. 3, showing 172 indigents assisted during April, amount allowed $278.

Chas. Roeth, Supervisor District No. 4, showing 114 indigents assisted during April, amount allowed $164.75.

From R. T. Stratton, physician of Receiving Hospital for April.

From W. A. Clark, Superintendent County Infirmary, for March and April.

From S. B. Adriance, gardener, showing amount of coal received at county buildings during April.

From Chas M. Fisher, physician County Jail showing number of services to prisoners and indigents during April.

From J. H. Taylor, Justice of the Peace of Murray township, showing fees earned during April.

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMITS

The following persons made application for permits to obtain a license for the sale of liquors, etc.

Ann Cathrine Havens, Eden township.

Herman Voigt, 2169 Telegraph avenue.

Henry F. Davis, Bay View.

The applications, being in proper form, were ordered received and filed and the bonds accompanying the same, being in proper form and for the correct amount were ordered approved. The applications were referred to the Judiciary Committee.

REPORT OF JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably upon the applications of John Martin, Jos. Wilson, J. H. Klee and Joe J. Rodrigues. Thereupon appropriate resolutions were introduced and adopted granting to each of said parties permits to obtain a license for the sale of liquors.

REQUISITIONS.

Requisitions were received from the following officials, viz:

From S. B. Adriance, gardener, for tools, seeds, etc. Granted.

From C. B. White, Sheriff, for shoes, overalls and shirts. Granted.

From J. H. W. Riley, for 200 shorthand note books for use in Superior Courts. Granted.

From O. M. Sanford, County Treasurer, for two bank boxes. Granted.

From District Attorney Snook, for revolving bookcase. Referred to Building Committee.

SHELVING ALAMEDA COUNTY LAW LIBRARY.

R. M. Fitzgerald addressed the Board on behalf of the Law Library, calling attention to the lack of shelving in the Law Library for the accommodation of books. After consideration the matter was referred to the Building Committee to consult with the Board of Law Library Trustees and make proper alterations.

WEBSTER STREET BRIDGE.

A committee consisting of the following named persons: Jos. F. Fordorer, Col. Lyman Bridges, W. R. Pelzer, V. M. Frodden, J. A. C. Macdonald, Theo. Gier, Craigie Sharp and R. W. Snow, representing the commercial bodies in Oakland and Alameda, appeared before the Board and advocated the construction of a tunnel and viaducts under Oakland harbor and the issuing of bonds therefor. Resolutions adopted by said organizations were then presented and read, after which the same were ordered filed. On motion of Supervisor Church, duly seconded, it was decided to meet the Citizens' Committee in the Supervisors' chambers on Wednesday evening next at 8 o'clock.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Printing Committee presented a report concerning the printing of primary election laws, and recommended that they be not now printed.

The roll was called and the report adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

"FACTS AND FIGURES."

The Clerk presented a certificate from the Merchants' Exchange certifying that the edition of 10,000 copies heretofore by resolution provided for had been delivered in proper form and in accordance with specifications. The Clerk also stated that he had certified to the bill presented for printing said copies, having received receipts from the Pacific Press Publishing Company showing that 10,000 copies had been delivered as agreed to.

OPENING OF TEVIS STREET.

A petition was received from Edward D. Bassett and eleven others petitioning for the opening of Tevis street across the tracks of the Southern Pacific and California & Nevada Railroad.

Referred to District Attorney to report the proper course of procedure.

10,000 GALLON WATER TANK NILES ROAD DISTRICT.

The following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That Supervisor Wells, as Road Commissioner of Niles Road District, be and he is hereby empowered to have built a 10,000 gallon water tank in the Niles Road District, and the cost of the same shall be paid part out of the County General Road Fund, the General Road Fund and the Niles Road District Fund."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

PLEASANTON BRIDGE ON ROAD NO. 1533.

The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived, the Clerk read the affidavit showing due publication of notice to contractors in the "Pleasanton Times." He also called attention to the omission in the advertisement of the amount of certified check required. The District Attorney being present advised the Board to adopt a resolution requiring certified checks of at least 10 per cent of proposal and to postpone the opening of bids to a later hour of the day.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That in the matter of the bridge across the 'Mocha' on road No. 1533 in Pleasanton Road District, that the certified checks required by the bidders and published proposal be fixed at an amount equal to ten per cent of the bid or proposal, and that the hour for the consideration of said bids be and is hereby postponed to 2 P. M. of this day, and that said certified checks as aforesaid be presented to this Board and to the Clerk hereof before said hour, and unless so filed and presented the bid of any proposed bidder will not be considered."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

POUND MASTER TEMESCAL ROAD DISTRICT.

A petition was received from Dennis O'Neill and many others requesting the removal of William Vonderheldt from the position of Pound Master of Temescal Road District for abuse of authority and for acting unjustly and unlawfully.

A petition was also presented by Ham Coleman and many others requesting the appointment of Lou Morley in his place.

After due consideration the following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That the office of Pound Master in Temescal District now held by William Vonderheldt be and the same is hereby declared vacant, to take effect from and after May 5th, 1897."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Wells, Roeth, Mitchell and Chairman Talcott.

Noes—None.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That Lou Morley be and he is hereby appointed Pound Master for Temescal District, to take effect from and after May 5th, 1897."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Wells, Roeth, Mitchell and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

SAN FRANCISCO AND OAKLAND DIRECTORIES FOR 1897.

Supervisor Roeth on behalf of the Printing Committee reported concerning the requisitions for directories of Oakland and San Francisco presented at the last meeting, and recommended that eight only be furnished; these offices hereafter to be designated to which said directories would be delivered. The report and suggestions of the committee were adopted by unanimous vote.

FREE SOLDIER'S LICENSE.

Dean Melville petitioned the Board for a free license in accordance with the provisions of section 27 of the County Government Act. The application was referred to Supervisor Roeth, who thereafter reporting favorably upon it, and on motion duly made and seconded, the application was granted and the Clerk directed to notify the County Auditor.

APPOINTMENT OF HORTICULTURAL COMMISSIONERS.

An application was received from J. A. Nichols and many others petitioning the Board to reappoint William Barry as Horticultural Commissioner to succeed himself. Thereupon Supervisor Church moved that the Board proceed to elect three Horticultural Commissioners; seconded by Supervisor Wells and carried by unanimous vote. Nominations being declared in order Supervisor Wells nominated William Barry of Niles. Seconded by Supervisor Church. Supervisor Roeth nominated A. D. Pryal. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell. Supervisor Talcott nominated E. O. Webb. Seconded by Supervisor Wells. No further nominations being made, the same were declared closed and those gentlemen placed in nomination were elected by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells, Roeth and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

Thereupon the Chair declared Messrs. Webb, Pryal and Barry duly elected Horticultural Commissioners to serve for the term provided by law.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.

A communication was received from Mr. J. E. Crooks and others, residents of Eden township, recommending Mr. J. H. Eickhoff for reappointment as a member of the County Board of Education and also recommending that those selected should possess especially the qualifications of a University education.

Supervisor Wells moved that the Board proceed to elect members of the County Board of Education. Seconded by Supervisor Church.

The roll was called and the motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

Nominations being in order, Supervisor Church placed in nomination H. C. Petray of Livermore. Seconded by Supervisor Wells. Supervisor Roeth placed in nomination Mr. Geo. W. Frick. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell. Supervisor Talcott nominated Mr. J. H. Eyckhoff. Seconded by Supervisor Wells. Nominations being declared closed, the roll was called and the following named candidates were voted for by the following named Supervisors:

For Petray — Supervisors Wells and Church.

For Frick — Supervisors Roeth and Mitchell.

For Eyckhoff—Chairman Talcott.

There being no election on motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously decided to vote for two candidates.

The roll being called, Supervisor Wells voted for Petray and Eyckhoff.

Supervisor Church voted for Eyckhoff and Petray.

Supervisor Roeth voted for Frick and Eyckhoff.

Supervisor Mitchell voted for Frick and Eyckhoff.

Supervisor Talcott voted for Waterman and Eyckhoff.

Mr. Eyckhoff having received five votes was declared elected.

The Board then proceeded to ballot for the remaining member to be elected, and the roll being called.

Mr. Petray received the votes of Supervisors Wells, Church and Chairman Talcott, and

Mr. Frick the votes of Supervisors Roeth and Mitchell.

The Chair then announced that Messrs. Eyckhoff and Petray, having received a majority of the votes necessary to elect, were duly elected members of the County Board of Education for the term provided for by law.

RECESS.

The Chair then declared a recess till 2 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The roll was called and all members found to be present.

OPENING OF BIDS FOR PLEASANTON BRIDGE.

The matter of awarding the contract for the construction of the bridge over the Arroyo Mocha creek on county road No. 1533 was brought up for further consideration.

Bids were received as follows:

From Healy, Tibbetts & Co., $3,850.

From Cotton Bros. & Co., $3,790.

From J. A. McMahon, $4,195.

From Darby, Laydon & Co., $5,135.

From Johnson & Peterson, $3,687.

Certified checks for an amount equal to ten per cent of the proposals made accompanied each bid. After the receipt of the bids the Board considered the same in Committee of the Whole. After which the following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That the bid of Johnson & Peterson being the lowest responsible bid for bridge across the Arroyo Mocha creek on county road 1533, in Pleasanton Road District, Alameda County, Cal., be and the same is hereby accepted and the contract therefor is hereby awarded to said Johnson & Peterson, with the understanding in open Board with said Johnson & Peterson that said includes the preparing and maintaining a temporary structure for the necessary travel during the construction of said bridge. The bond of said contractors for the faithful performance of said contract, including said necessary temporary structure, is hereby fixed at $3,700, and the Chairman of this Board is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with said Johnson & Peterson in accordance herewith. The bond to be approved by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott.

Noes—None.

The Clerk was authorized to return the checks of unsuccessful bidders.

PETITION FOR ANNEXATION OF A PORTION OF EMERYVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO THE TOWN OF EMERYVILLE FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

A petition was received from G. W. Nickerson and many others asking the Board to annex to the town of Emeryville for school purposes only, a portion of Emeryville School District in accordance with the provisions of section 1576, article 5, of the school laws of California.

Referred to the District Attorney for examination and report.

RELIEF TO HALF ORPHANS.

The petition of Mrs. Catherine Reno for relief to certain orphan children in accordance with the provisions of certain State laws which had been referred at the last meeting to the District Attorney was reported on by him, and the Board advised to proceed and allow relief to petitioner in the same manner as other indigents were assisted. Thereupon the petition was referred to Supervisor Talcott with power.

NEW ROAD DISTRICT TO BE KNOWN AS ALVISO ROAD DISTRICT.

A petition was received from James Henaby, A. A. Bittencourt and 38 others requesting the Board to form a new road district having the same boundaries as Alviso School District and to be known and officially designated as "Alviso Road District."

Referred to Supervisor Wells for consideration and report.

ESTABLISHMENT OF WIDTH AND GRADE OF SIDEWALKS OF PERALTA AVENUE AND EXTENSION OF HIGH STREET.

The matter of the widening and extension of High street and also the establishment of the width and grade of Peralta avenue heretofore set for this time was postponed for further consideration to May 10th at 11 o'clock A. M.

ACCEPTANCE OF BOND POUND MASTER TEMESCAL ROAD DISTRICT.

The bond of Lou Morley as Pound Master of Temescal Road District with Johanna O'Neill and Thomas Kearney as sureties in the sum of $250 each, was presented for approval and acceptance, and the same being by the Board deemed satisfactory was accepted and the bond ordered approved by the Chairman of the Board by unanimous vote.

ALLOWANCE OF BILLS.

The following claims having been favorably reported on by a majority of the Auditing and Finance Committee were ordered paid to the persons hereinafter named out of the funds hereinafter mentioned and for the amounts respectively hereinafter stated:

County General Fund—S. B. Adriance, $85; J. C. S. Akerly, $5; A. E. Alexander, $4.50; Robt. O. Baldwin, $339.50; Bank of Pleasanton, assignee Aug. Bernal, $8; same, assignee T. R. Evans, $3; Bank of San Leandro, assignee J. E. Quinn, $12; same, assignee Tribune Publishing Co., $215.36, $199.11; E. Barnett, assignee A. Cavagnaro, $3; Robt. C. Beach, $57.70; J. P. Beckett, $2.15; W. M. Beckwith, $5; Thomas Bedard, $5.69; T. J. Brady, $3.75; J. S. Burpee, agent J. A. Crane, $11.70; California Bank, assignee H. V. Herbert, $142.10; W. H. Church, $35.90; Fred C. Clift, $210, L. H. Cobb, $75; Dalziel & Moller, $25.10, Fred A. Davis, $125; C. M. Day, $55; Dan'l Denahy, $75; J. L. Donovan, $125; Henry Dopman, $93.48; S. Ehrman, $15, Wm. M. Fallon, $100; Andrew Fine, $5; Chas. M. Fisher, $75, $150; James Fowler, $15; Gas Consumers' Ass'n, $16.90; John E. Geary, $11; J. A. Gollet, $102.40, W. H. H. Gentry, $30; M. Gusenhofer, $3.25; A. R. Hamlin, $85; F. W. Harms, $5; James E. Ingols, $75; Frank "W." James, $56.66; Jee Gam, $35; H. S. Kergan, $3, E. M. Keys, $10; C. W. Kinsey, $15.85, G. A. Koch, $110.70, Philip Kolb, assignee Wm. Brophy, $9, $30; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee J. F. Cronin, $110.25; same, trustee, assignee Peter Delpet, $16.20; same, trustee, assignee Chas. A. Emlay, $35; same, trustee, assignee Paul Gilbert, $3; same, trustee, assignee N. T. Hansen, $5; same, trustee, assignee Jordan Printing Co., $10; same, trustee, assignee E. L. Lawrence, $102; same, trustee, assignee A. A. Long, $13.70; same, trustee, assignee E. L. Marshall, $15; same, trustee, assignee O. J. Mullen, $85.10, same, trustee, assignee Oakland Printing Co., $10, $13, $13.55; same, trustee, assignee Lizzie O'Keefe, $40, same, trustee, assignee Squire & Leavitt, $18.50, $20, $136.75, same, trustee, assignee H. W. Stilley, $13.50; same, trustee, assignee Tribune Publishing Co., $11 28; same, trustee, assignee I. Van Buskirk, $10, $19.50; same, trustee, assignee Mary Van Sandt, $9.13; same, trustee, assignee Geo. Wales, $34; same, trustee, assignee Al Williams, $89; same, trustee, assignee Ed Hathaway, $10.50, same, trustee, assignee A. Mitchell, $8.90; same, trustee, assignee Andy Mitchell, $13.80; same, trustee, assignee J. F. W. Sohst, $8.00; same, trustee, assignee I. B. Wheeler, $8.30; C. R. Lord, $21; Eugene Lynch $85; L. M. Lyster, $7.10; G. E. Maloon, $75; McMullan & Cox, $13.15; A. W. Mitchell, $5.25, J. Mitchell, $80.70; John Mitchell, $71.60; J. W. Moore, $75; H. T. Morris, $95; Geo. L. Nusbaumer, $29 40, $175, Oakland Enquirer Publishing Co., $412.50, $5.50, $60, Oakland Rubber Stamp Co., $11, Pacific Press Publishing Co., assignee Geo. W. Calderwood, $1,500; John Pann, $5.50; Pietra Perata, $3; Richard Potts, $70.50, James G. Quinn, $9; Geo. E. Reynolds, $5; Charles Roeth, $89.40; S. Sandholdt, $46; A. W. S. Smith, $5, Chas. E. Snook, $11.05; State of California, $180.90; J. R. Talcott, $93 10, J. R. Taylor, assignee J. H. Taylor, $3; I. Tobriner, $26 30; H. Foelken, $18.40; Town of Livermore, $30; Robt. Turnbull, $4.60, $2 45; E. S. Van Court, $132; S. B. Van Dervoort, $60.10; Geo. Wales, $5.70, $2.20, $55 15, $16.90, $10.85, $2.70, J. K. Warner, $10; G. F. Weeks, $10.50; L. R. Webster, $15; Thos. D. Wells, $92; C. B. White, $4 70, $70 70, $454.40; W. A. Young, $101, $179.25, Soren Christensen, $52; Thomas Cuff, $66; James Davis, $44; First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $52.64, $32.28, $16.74, $36.89, $100.31; P. C. Frederickson, $82 00; Jno. E. Geary, $5; Humboldt Lumber Co., $47 05; A. Lucio, $82; C. W. Shoemaker, $50, Frank Slater, $93; Studebaker Bros. Mfg. Co., $390.35, Jas Sunderer, assignee Peter Nolan, $31, J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee E. D. Lane, $28.80; J. F. Meyers, $26.50; Hawes & Dusterberry, assignee Geo. Wales, $55.10, J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee Tribune Publishing Co., $99.75; F. Stolte, $3.

County Infirmary Fund—Agard & Co., $13.65; Ainsworth Bros, $10. Anspacher Bros., $61; E. H. Anthony, $5.46, $4.05; H. Arendt & Co., $34.50; Bank of San Leandro, assignee F. Borst, $131.24; R. H. Chamberlain, $31.45; W. A. Clark, $35.10, $125; S. Buteau, $75; Geo. Baxley, $75; F. H. Hadley, $40; Miss Lucy Klein, $37 50; Mrs. E. E. Bandy, $37.50, Geo. Cook, $35; Sam Jeffers, $30; Thos. Lavin, $40, Chas. Geannot, $30; Geo. Walker, $40; Geo. Turner, $25; J. Weimmers, $30; Mrs. Smith, $8; Craft & Russell, $37; Dalziel & Moller, $2.75; Geo. A. J. Davis, $5; Herman Detjens, $15; J. H. A. Folkers & Bros., $24.50, A. J. Foster, $3 50; S. F. Gemmell, $25; Grand Rule Bazaar, $25.42; C. Hadlin & Son, $15; M. Hanley, $12; J. W. Harbert, $13, Jos. Herrscher, $12.50, $1,017.81; Jas. A. Joyce, $13.49, $7.04; Mrs. P. Kock, $18; James Lamb, $80.40; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee C. A. James, $1; same, trustee, assignee T. H. Kelly, $4.50; same, trustee, assignee Squire & Leavitt, $14; Jas. L. McCarthy, $24, Joseph McClain, $20; Hattie E. McDonald, $25; McKown & Mess, $17.45; McMillan & Cox, $83; Henry Meyer, $34; C. W. Moore, $7; Henry Muller, $25; Neal & Kalick, $20.70; Geo. L. Nusbaumer, $40, Osgood Bros., $367, $16, $49.45; Pacific Press Publishing Co., $13; H. Peterson, $17, E. A. Reed, $8.40; D. R. Rees, $7.50; J. R. Reily, $28; Chas. A. Sessions, agent, $361.70; Miss Hello Silva, $4; Joaquin S. Silva, $8.50; E. B. Stone, $1,833.75; R. T. Stratton, $273.38; I. D. Tobin, $85; I. Tobriner, $4.85, $29.35; H. Tum Suden, $21; Western Meat Market, assignee E. Freund, $656.05; White Star Laundry, $10.70, Geo. L. Yager, $175; Jno. E. Geary, $12.

Salary Fund—J. H. Eickhoff, $11.60; W. B. Ludlow, $10.40; W. F. B. Lynch, $13.60, S. D. Waterman, $12.40.

General Road Fund—Soren Christensen, $1; Thomas Cuff, $1; James Davis, $1, First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1, $1, $1, $1, $1, P. C. Frederickson, $1; Humboldt Lumber Co., $1; A. Lucio, $1; C. W. Shoemaker, $1; Frank Slater, $1; Studebaker Bros. Mfg. Co., $1; Jos. Sunderer, assignee Peter Nolan, $1; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee E. D. Lane, $1; J. F. Meyers, $1.

Alvarado District Road Fund—First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1.

Bay District Road Fund—J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee D. L. Davis, $5.50; same, trustee, assignee L. H. Delavergne, $12, same, trustee, assignee W. Dippo, $6, $6; same, trustee, assignee E. L. George, $12, $6, $6; same, trustee, assignee James S. Hayes, $2.75, $15.60; same, trustee, assignee Frank Slater, $84, $69, $18, $24, $8; same, trustee, assignee Wm. Tommas, $8, $8; same, trustee, assignee Henry Wahler, $2; same, trustee, assignee J. Young, $6; Judson Dynamite and Powder Co., $6.65, John Jurgens, $4.20, Frank Slater, $15; Henry W. Taylor, $12.54, Jacob Wehrle, $3.75; Frank Slater, $1.

Brooklyn District Road Fund—Geo. L. Nusbaumer, $23; A. Lucio, $1.

Castro Valley District Road Fund—M. Cunha, $2.25; J. W. Jamison, $3.75; Manuel Kelly, $31; D. C. Kennedy, $34; J. B. Parsons, $1.35; Pierce Hardware Co., $9.49; Wm. Van Hoosear, $73.80.

Centerville District Road Fund—Manuel S. Almeria, $12; Jos. S. Andrade, $12; Manuel E. Bettencourt, $12, Manuel Calderia, $8; Chas. D. Cummings, $5; E. S. Gomes, $7; Manuel S. Gomes, $10; Hawes & Dusterberry, $13.85; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee J. K. Lemos, $16.85; same, trustee, assignee M. S. Pires, $81; Frank Marshal, $12; Manuel Silveira Preira, $12; S. F. Silva, $33.62.

Claremont District Road Fund—James Davis, $13; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee R. Kobler, $16.50, same, trustee, assignee Edgar Lufkin, $16.50, same, trustee, assignee Paul Murillo, $15, $12.50; Christ Nelson, $10; James Stutt, $16.50; James Davis, $1.

Decoto District Road Fund — Henry Crosby, $71.85; George Peterson, $2; John H. Peterson, $6; Manuel J. Pimentel, $7; Chas. C. Whipple, $21; Edwin Whipple, $35.

Dublin District Road Fund — Bank of Pleasanton, assignee Edward Lunt, $30; C. H. Dall, $13.75; T. D. Wells, $26.25.

Fruitvale District Road Fund — A. C. Fay, $16; First National Bank, assignee E. D. Lane, $77.60; Max Klopfer, $2; E. D. Lane, assignee Charles Laats, $9.40; same, assignee John Cook, $5.40; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee E. Gates, $5.80; Joe Vincent, $6; P. C. Frederickson, $1; C. W. Shoemaker, $1; Studebaker Bros. Mfg. Co., $1; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee E. D. Lane, $1.

Mission District Road Fund — James Black, $63; same, assignee G. H. Brown, $16; same, assignee Thomas Dillon, $10; same, assignee John Driscoll, $22; same, assignee Joseph Frates, $28; Richard Byron, $10; Ellis Bros., assignee Wm. Egan, $16; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee James Black, $18; E. W. Steinmetz, assignee M. A. Frates, $28; same, assignee Dave Holmes, $89; First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1; Joe Sunderer, assignee Peter Nolan, $1.

Mount Eden District Road Fund—Hans Anderson, $5; Mrs. Denis, $53, Henry Gansberger, $55.50; Hayward Lumber Co., $12.53; Peter Kay, $6; John Kuck, $73; Peter Kuck, $23; John Lemos, $30; Linekin & Allen, $4.80; John Lopas, $28; H. W. Meek, $10.70; Niels R. Neilson, $6; Mat C. Petersen, $5; John Rippe, $53; Hans Skow, $8; A. Sorenson, $28; Chris Winfield, $28.

Murray District Road Fund — Bank of Livermore, assignee James Bennett, $46.50; same, assignee J. Bowles, $48; same, assignee Thos. J. Brock, $51; same, assignee Felix Carillo, $2; same, assignee Salvator Franco, $149; same, assignee M. Murray, $27; same, assignee I. J. Righter, $45, $130; same, assignee Loughlin "Rodgers," $12; same, assignee G. W. Feeter, $51; California Bank, assignee W. Cunningham, $34; J. F. Meyers, $1.

Newark District Road Fund—E. F. Burdick, $34; F. Falk, assignee Frank Martin, $23; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee Manuel Enos Prerry, $52; A. Ross, $46; First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1.

Niles District Road Fund—E. D. Baldwin, $8; Thos. Bedard, $1.75; same, assignee John Murphy, $12; same, assignee Henry Youngman, $29; California Bank, assignee Jas. Tyson, $14; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee J. B. Barnard, $93; same, trustee, assignee James Palmer et al., $28; Murphy & Briscoe, assignee Manuel Silver, $16; M. Palmer, $2; Frank Rose, $1; Wm. Snyder, assignee John Tyson, $16; First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1.

Palomares District Road Fund—Martin Enos, $4; Manuel Gallardt, $12; Ed Iversen, $8; Joe Matten, $10; Alex Mast, $12; John V. Merle, $4.15; Geo. Tecnade, $12.

Peralta District Road Fund — Thomas Cuff, $30, R. F. Davis, $28; Con Donovan, assignee F. N. Cuff, $18; same, assignee C. W. C. Simons, $20; Catherine Kock, assignee J. A. Garcia, $16; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee Casserly & Jutting, $12.25, $5.25; same, trustee, assignee John Tierney, $4; Alex McAdam, $66; C. W. Moore, assignee C. Monson, $14; S. F. Morrill, $17.60; Thomas Cuff, $1.

Piedmont District Road Fund—Geo. Anderson, $10, E. Barnett, assignee Thomas Lane, $3; Chris Jessen, $10, J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee J. Bourget, $51; same, trustee, assignee Wellington Coffin, $10, $0.50, same, trustee, assignee Geo. W. Flagg, $5; same, trustee, assignee Wm. Nichols, $29; same, trustee, assignee Patrick Tierney, $3; same, trustee, assignee Geo. W. Wilbur, $10; same, trustee, assignee S. T. Wilbur, $11, Maillard Searles, $4; Soren Christensen, $1; Humboldt Lumber Co., $1.

Pleasanton District Road Fund—Chadbourne Warehouse Co., assignee Charles Rothke, $43; First National Bank, assignee E. H. Frick, $154 50; J. F. Myers, $1.

San Lorenzo District Road Fund—Henry Smyth, assignee John Forth, $7, J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee Thos. Clines, $72, Henry Smyth, $107.60.

Temescal District Road Fund—E. Barnett, assignee F. McGuire, $38; same, assignee Wm. McGuire, $44; California Bank, assignee Casserly & Jutting, $16.85; same, assignee C. Johnson, $44; same, assignee G. W. Logan, $33; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee Casserly & Jutting, $9.75, $5.25; same, trustee, assignee J. A. Garcia, $8; same, trustee, assignee Thomas Harrell, $40; same, trustee, assignee Hank McWilliams, $5; same, trustee, assignee M. Malone, $12, same, trustee, assignee W. S. Roberts, $4; same, trustee, assignee J. Tierney, $40; L. Pozzola, assignee V. Berotto, $15.

Vallecito District Road Fund—Bank of Pleasanton, assignee Manuel J. Bernal, $24; Henry Behrens, $8, $51; H. Carter, $18; Mrs B. Costello, assignee James Costello, $43; William Day, $42, Robt. Ellis, assignee Lewis White, $12, Maurice Geary, $28, P. A. Havlland, assignee Chas. Duerr, $51; C. Hilden, $18; N. Kalisky, assignee J. A. Pease, $22.50; Frank King, $6; John Kolln, $82 50; Antono Leonardo, $24, James Osborn, $24; Joseph Rose, $47; James Trimmingham, $41.

Washington District Road Fund—N. L. Babb, assignee L. D. Babb, $32, Thos. Godard, assignee Geo. Harlan, $32; E. J. Briscoe, assignee Antone Santos, $0.50; Geo. Christensen, $40, $22; same, assignee Jacob Juhler, $10; H. Curtner, assignee John Valencia, $17; H. Crowell, $2 90; same, assignee Jas. B. C. Hudson, $35, P. Devaux, $22.50, S. Ehrman, $8.75; First National Bank, assignee Alex Leitch, $3, $15; Jos. Herrscher, assignee F. F. Furtado, $11; same, assignee M. F. Furtado, $10; same, assignee F. J. Furtado, $12, same, assignee M. F. Furtado, $5.50; Mrs. C. Hirsch, assignee Albert Anderson, $9, same, assignee Wm. W. Hirsch, $11; same, assignee Wm. Ramsell, $21.50; Hans Knudsen, assignee Chris P. Miller, $30, J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee P. Dereaux et al, $6.15, $14.55; C. F. Petersen, assignee James Leitch Jr., $13, Carl Rasmussen, assignee E. Powell, $36, J. Steinmetz, $7.05; same, assignee C. E. Hudson, $17; E. B. Thompson, assignee Augustus Wamsley, $4.50; First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1.

After the reading of said bills the following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That all of the bills read this day by the Clerk of this Board and duly passed upon by a majority of the Finance Committee be and the same are hereby allowed and ordered paid out of the proper funds."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

ABROGATION OF HAWAIIAN ISLAND TREATY CONFLICTING WITH CALIFORNIA BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY.

Supervisor Roeth introduced the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the following telegram be forwarded to the Hon. Geo. C. Perkins, U. S. Senator at Washington, D. C., viz:

" 'We, the Supervisors of Alameda county, now in session at Oakland, respectfully ask you to work and vote for a duty on Hawaiian sugar and the abrogation of the present Hawaiian Island treaty, which conflicts with the California beet sugar industry. California should come first.'

"And the Clerk is directed to forward said telegram, signed by the Chairman of this Board and attested by its Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott.

Noes—None.

CONSIDERATION BY COMMITTEE OF REQUISITIONS REFERRED.

The following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That in all matters granting requisitions referred to a committee of this Board, that the action of said committee will not be effective unless a majority of said committee order the same to be done in committee meeting.

Supervisor Roeth requested the District Attorney's opinion as to whether or not the resolution adopted heretofore by the Board, which required that when requisitions were presented that the same shall be handed to the Chairman of the committee to which it has been referred with power, did not intend action by committee in meeting.

The District Attorney reported that under his construction of the resolution the matter would be referred to the committee with authority to a majority of the committee to act upon such requisition.

That if the Board desired to have committee meetings to attend to such matters that rules should be prescribed for the same. That the action of two members of the committee would constitute the action of the committee itself.

That committees were not recognized under the law, but were part of the internal regulations prescribed by the rules of the Board of Supervisors for convenience in handling the business and exercising the powers vested in them under the law. That where requisitions were granted and the matter was referred to a committee, and subsequently the action of the committee was ratified by the payment of the bill which was incurred by virtue of said action of the Board, that no other action need to be taken as to the ordering the bill passed by the Board of Supervisors would be a complete ratification of the action of the committee.

The roll was called and the resolution lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Roeth and Wells—2.

Noes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Chairman Talcott—3.

INFIRMARY CONTRACTS LET TO E. B. STONE.

Supervisor Roeth then called the District Attorney's attention to the fact that a short time ago the Board had awarded a certain contract to E. B. Stone, but that prior to the award of said contract to Stone certain members of the Board had told Mr. Stone to go ahead with the work. That as a matter of fact, Stone had commenced a portion of the work which was awarded by contract subsequently by the Board of Supervisors. Supervisor Roeth asked the District Attorney if this was a proper method for the Board of Supervisors to pursue.

District Attorney Snook reported in substance as follows:

That no one or two members or any number of members of the Board of Supervisors, unless in session as a Board, were authorized to award contracts to any person, and as to the work contracted any authorization thereof was in fact no contract until the Board acting as such awarded the same.

If the work had been commenced under the previous authorization of the members of the Board not acting as such, and there were no necessary forms prescribed by law for the Board to pursue for the awarding of the contract, the action of the Board of Supervisors in subsequently awarding the contract as in the case above cited would in effect be a ratification of said unauthorized action of the members of the Board. Ratification can be had in many ways. In this case it was by the award of the contract.

It might have been by a subsequent ordering the bill for the work paid. This ratification must, however, always depend upon the question whether or not the Board was vested with power to have certain work performed without any particular form having been followed. It must also be within the jurisdiction of the Board, and not concerning any act before had in its committee affecting the Board's jurisdiction or not affecting the discretionary powers of the Board. I can see no reason whatever why the course pursued in the case of the infirmary contracts was not proper, as similar cases have been upheld by the Supreme Court of this State.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business to transact, the Board adjourned to meet Monday, May 10th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

J. R. TALCOTT,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.

Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

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9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton	4:09 p
9 37 a	Vallejo	11:45 a
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......	Port Costa, Martinez, Lathrop, Stockton, Merced and Fresno	11:15 a
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5:39 p	Santa Fe Route, Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	7:04 a
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1:30 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	6:39 p
......	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:39 p
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Resolution No. 22,912 Ordering the Work.—Resolved, That the public interest and convenience require the work herein described, and the Council of the city of Oakland hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, or as contained in its Ordinance No. 1422, approved May 13th, A. D. 1892, to-wit:

That Lee street, in said city, from the easterly line of Vernon street to the westerly line of Adams street, be graded, curbed with wood and macadamized with class "C" macadam, gutters to be three feet wide of broken rock and grouted.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to publish this Resolution for two days, and notice of said work inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the work and referring to the specifications posted or on file, also for two days, both in the Oakland Tribune, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, hereby designated for that purpose. Said notice shall require a certified check or a bond, either as prescribed by law, and for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal. He is also directed to post said notice with specifications conspicuously for five days on or near the Council chamber door.

Adopted May 3rd, 1897, by the said Council, and approved by the Mayor of said city May 5th, 1897.

Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

J. W. TOMPKINS,
City Clerk.

LEGAL.

IN THE MATTER OF

Opening

A STREET THROUGH

CEMETERY CREEK CANON

Street Superintendent's Notice Requiring Payment of Assessment.

Office of the Superintendent of Streets, Oakland, Cal., May 6th, 1897.

In compliance with law, notice is hereby given that on May 5th, 1897, I received from the City Clerk of the city of Oakland, and the Clerk of the City Council of said city, a certified copy of the written report, assessment and plat accompanying the same, made by the commissioners appointed by the City Council of the city of Oakland, to assess benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canon from 24th street to the northern boundary line of the city of Oakland, also the lands to be assessed for said improvement in said city, which said report, assessment and plat were filed by said commissioners, March 11th, 1897, and passed upon, confirmed, approved and adopted (after notice given of the day fixed for hearing upon said report) by said City Council at a meeting thereof held on the third day of May, 1897, and that the assessment therein contained is now due and payable, and is a lien upon all the property contained and described therein as therein assessed for its proportion for the cost of said improvement as shown by said assessment.

Notice is also given, that all sums levied and assessed in and by said assessment roll are due and payable immediately, and that the payment of each of said sums respectively is to be made to me within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: thirty days from May 6th, 1897, and that all assessments not paid before the expiration of said thirty days will become and will be declared to be delinquent, and that thereafter the sum of five (5) per cent upon the amount of each delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising each delinquent assessment, will be added thereto.

Dated May 6th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland and Street Superintendent of the city of Oakland.

ORDER OF SALE OF INSOLVENT'S PROPERTY.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Christian Sauer, an insolvent debtor.

Order of sale of insolvent's property.

Upon reading and filing the petition of G. H. Perry, assignee of the estate of Christian Sauer, an insolvent debtor, praying for an order to sell real estate belonging to said estate, and it appearing to the Court that it is necessary to sell all the real estate of said insolvent debtor, vested in the assignee.

It is ordered that said assignee sell at public auction, giving ten days' previous notice thereof by publication in the Fresno Republican, a newspaper published in the county of Fresno, and also in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper published in said Alameda county, of the time, place and conditions of said sale, all the said real estate; that said property be sold to the highest bidder for cash; that if the said property be not disposed of upon the day fixed in the said notice of sale, then the sale may be continued from day to day until all said property is disposed of. The following is a description of the real estate belonging to said insolvent debtor's estate which is ordered to be sold, situated in the county of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number 15 in block number 9 of the Altamont Addition to the City of Fresno according to the official map of the same now on file in the office of the County Recorder of Fresno county. Subject to confirmation of this Court.

Upon any sale being made, the assignee shall execute to the purchaser all necessary conveyance and bills of sale.

Done in open Court.

JOHN ELLSWORTH,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Dated April 28th, 1897.
Filed April 28th, 1897.
FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.
By JOHN A. ROBINSON, Deputy Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance requiring the disinfection and fumigation of residences and other places where contagious diseases have existed.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

Wherever any case of smallpox, diphtheria, scarlatina, Asiatic cholera, tuberculosis or other contagious disease has existed in any building or other place within the city of Oakland, it shall be the duty of the householder or proprietor of such place, or, if such place has ceased to be occupied, then of the owner thereof, to immediately and thoroughly fumigate and disinfect said premises in the manner and to such extent as the Health Department may direct. The fumigation and disinfection to be done at the expense of the city.

SECTION II.

Every person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars, and in case such fine be not paid, then the person so fined shall be imprisoned at the rate of one day for every two dollars of the fine so imposed and remaining unpaid.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes — Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton and President Pringle—10.

Noes—Mr. Watkinson—1.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

Notice of filing report of Commissioners in the matter of opening and widening Athol avenue from the eastern line of Newton avenue to the northwestern line of Watson avenue.

City Clerk's office, Oakland, Cal., May 4th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening and widening Athol avenue from the eastern line of Newton avenue to the northwestern line of Watson avenue, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1754, have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages, together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions.

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office, and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause, if any, why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council, by the filing of written objections thereto with the said Clerk of the City Council on or before the 7th day of June, 1897.

(Seal)

J. W. TOMPKINS,
City Clerk.

By E. F. HOLLAND, Deputy.

LEGAL

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15, 1897, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1897

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 15th, 1897, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1897.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1897, is now due and payable at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Section 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance ordering the opening and widening of East 21st street, between 16th avenue and a line parallel with and 296.5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue, and appointing three Commissioners to have general supervision of the proposed work.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

Whereas, The said Council did, on the 16th day of November, 1896, adopt its Resolution of Intention No. 22,586, declaring its intention to order the following work and improvement to be made, to-wit: That East Twenty-first street, in the city of Oakland, be opened and widened between the western line of Sixteenth avenue and a line parallel with and 296.5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue, describing the work to be done and the land and premises deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and specifying the exterior boundaries of the lands to be affected and benefited by said work and improvement, and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof, and

Whereas, The Street Superintendent of the city of Oakland did thereupon cause notice of the passage of said Resolution to be posted and published for ten days in the manner and as required by law; and

Whereas, More than ten days have elapsed after the expiration of the time of publication of said notice, and no objections have been made or filed to the work therein referred to, and the Council has acquired jurisdiction to order said work to be done; now therefore it is hereby ordered that said work and improvement be done as aforesaid referred to, and in said Resolution of Intention specially described.

SECTION II.

Chas. H. Daly, Samuel C. Swift and F. E. Bunker are hereby appointed Commissioners to assess benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement until the completion thereof in compliance with law.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

Notice of Sale of Insolvent Property.

In the Superior Court, County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Christian Sauer, in insolvency.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of Alameda County, duly made and entered, I will sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon of Tuesday, May 11th, 1897, at the steps of the Court House of Alameda County, in the City of Oakland, all the right, title and interest of the above named insolvent in and to that certain lot and parcel of land situate in Fresno County, State of California, and described as follows:

Lot number 15 in block No. nine of the Altamont Addition to the City of Fresno.

G. H. PERRY,
Assignee of Christian Sauer, in insolvency.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Susan Almira Hall, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Susan Almira Hall, deceased, and for the issuance to Clarence Henry Hall and Hubbard Kitchel Hall of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of May, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated April 24th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
MESSRS. SNOOK & CHURCH and H. A. MELVIN, Attorneys for Petitioners.

LEGAL.

ANNEXATION ELECTION

ORDINANCE NO. ——

An Ordinance Providing for a Special Election, to determine whether the Boundaries of the City of Oakland shall be altered and New Territory Annexed and made a part of said City.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

Whereas, a petition in writing, signed by more than one-fifth of the qualified electors of the City of Oakland, as shown by and compared with and computed upon the number of votes cast at the last general municipal election held in said city, has been received by this Council and filed with the records of its proceedings, in which said petition it is asked and proposed by the petitioners that the boundaries of said city be so altered and enlarged as to include therein and annexed to and be incorporated in and included in said city the new territory which is described in said petition and is hereinafter described, and in which it is further asked and proposed that there be submitted to the electors of said city and the electors residing in said new territory, proposed by such petition to be so annexed to said city, the question whether said new territory shall be annexed to and incorporated in and made a part of said city, and in which it is further asked and proposed that said question of such annexation of said new territory shall be submitted at a special election, to be held for that purpose, after legal notice, given thereof, as provided by law, which said new territory proposed and asked to be annexed to the City of Oakland is all that certain piece, parcel and extent of land and territory situate in Oakland Township and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland 150 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of San Pablo avenue, and measured at a right angle thereto, said beginning point being also the southeast corner of the Town of Emeryville, and running thence in a northerly direction along the easterly boundary line of the Town of Emeryville to the center line of Temescal creek, thence in a westerly direction following the center line of the bed of Temescal creek—being also the boundary line of the Town of Emeryville in said creek—to a point 730 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of San Pablo avenue measured at a right angle thereto, thence along the easterly line of the said Town of Emeryville in a northerly direction, running parallel with and 730 feet distant westerly from said line of San Pablo avenue to the southern boundary line of the Town of Berkeley, thence easterly following the boundary line of the Town of Berkeley to a point on said boundary line of the Town of Berkeley 125 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of College avenue—also known as College way—and measured at a right angle to said line of College avenue, thence in a southerly direction on a line parallel with and 125 feet distant westerly from said line of College avenue a distance of 1600 feet, thence at a right angle to said line of College avenue in an easterly direction to and across said College avenue to a point 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of said College avenue and measured at a right angle thereto, thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue and its extension and measured at a right angle thereto, to a point on the southerly line of Clifton street, as said street is laid down, delineated and so designated on a map entitled Map of Rock Ridge, etc., filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda county on August 4th, 1879, thence in an easterly direction along said line of Clifton street to the westerly line of McAdam street, as delineated and so designated on aforesaid Map of Rock Ridge, thence in a direct line due south to the line dividing plots Nos. 13 and 15, as said plots are delineated and so designated on a map entitled Map of the Rancho of Vicente and Domingo Peralta, etc., filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda county on January 21st, 1857, said plot line is the western boundary line of the St. Mary's Cemetery, thence along said plot line in a southwesterly direction to the most western corner of said plot No. 15, thence in a southeasterly direction following the line dividing plots Nos. 14 and 15 as shown on map of aforesaid ranchos (the last named plot line being the southwesterly boundary of the St. Mary's and Mountain View Cemeteries) to the westerly line of Piedmont Sanitary District, thence following the boundary line of Piedmont Sanitary District in a southerly and then in a southeasterly direction to its intersection with the said northern boundary line of the City of Oakland, and thence in a westerly direction along the said boundary line of the City of Oakland to the place of beginning.

Therefore it is hereby ordained that the question of such annexation of said new territory to the City of Oakland, and to become a part thereof, be and the same is hereby submitted to the electors of the present City of Oakland, and to the electors residing in the territory so proposed to be annexed, which submission shall be at a special election to be held for that purpose in said City of Oakland and in said new territory.

SECTION II.

A special election for the purpose of determining the question submitted by Section I of this Ordinance, is hereby called and shall be held in the City of Oakland, and in said territory proposed to be annexed thereto, on 10th day of June, 1897.

And the voting precincts, and the places in such precincts at which the polls will be opened in the City of Oakland and in the territory so proposed to be annexed, are hereby established and designated as follows, and the following named persons, electors in their respective precincts, are hereby appointed officers of election, to act as such in the respective precinct and polling place preceding their names, to-wit:

IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND.

FIRST WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Wood street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; and on the south and west by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—No. 1759 Seventh street.

Judges—J. A. Towne and Henry Schmidt.

Inspector—Tobias Feehan.

FIRST WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the center line of Campbell street and extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Wood street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 1685 Seventh street.

Judges—J. V. Powers and Henry Beales.
Inspector—John Mallett.

FIRST WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the center line of Center street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Campbell street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 1461 Seventh street.

Judges—P. J. Quinlan and W. C. Fleischauer.

Inspector—J. F. Hanley.

FIRST WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street with the center line of Peralta street; thence southerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Center street; thence southerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; bounded on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the said charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—No. 1237 Peralta street.

Judges—J. C. Bullock and George Janvrin.

Inspector—M. J. O'Dea.

SECOND WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Adeline street; on the south by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westwardly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—Northeast corner Thirty-fourth and Peralta streets.

Judges—Daniel Teehan and John Paul Hannigan.

Inspector—G. W. Smith.

SECOND WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Cemetery creek, being the old charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by a line described as follows: Beginning at a point where the said Cemetery creek is intersected by the center line of Prospect street; thence westerly along the center line of Prospect street and the center line of Caledonia street to the center line of Grove street; thence southerly along the center line of Grove street to the center line of Wallace or Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of said Wallace or Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Adeline street; and bounded on the west by the center line of Adeline street.

Location of polling place—Northwest corner Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue.

Judges—F. W. Little and Charles Fawcett.

Inspector—F. L. Cotton.

SECOND WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Wallace or Twenty-eighth street; on the east by the center line of Grove street; on the south by the center line of Charter or Twenty-second (22d) street, and on the west by the center line of Adeline street.

Location or polling place—No. 1229 San Pablo avenue.

Judges—George Taylor and James Sullivan.

Inspector T. W. Stokes.

SECOND WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Caledonia street intersects the center line of Grove street; thence easterly along the center line of Caledonia street and the center line of Prospect street to the center line of Cemetery creek, being the old charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly along said Cemetery creek to a point where said Cemetery creek is intersected by the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland to its intersection with the dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence southerly and westerly along said dividing line to the old charter line of said city; thence westerly along said old charter line to the center of the western arm of Lake Merritt; thence northerly along the center of said arm to the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second street extended easterly; thence westerly to and along the center line of said Walnut or Twenty-second street to the center line of Telegraph avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence westerly to the center line of Grove street; thence northerly along the center line of Grove street to the point of beginning.

Location of polling place—818 Telegraph avenue.

Judges—Ben Marston and N. Collins.

Inspector—B. F. Armstrong.

THIRD WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Third ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; on the east by the center line of Market street; on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; and on the west by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Center street; thence northerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Peralta street; thence northerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street.

Location of polling place—N. E. corner Fourteenth and Adeline streets.

Judges—William Gross and H. J. Eaton.
Inspector—B. Maloon.

THIRD WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Third ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Market street; thence northerly along the center line of Market street to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street to the center line of Brush street; thence southerly along the center line of Brush street to the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street; thence easterly along the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, and thence westerly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) street to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—Northeast corner of Seventeenth and Market streets.

Judges—J. I. Palmer and C. R. Lewis.
Inspector—E. T. Thurston Sr.

THIRD WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Brush street with the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street to the center line of Telegraph avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street to the center of Brush street, and thence northerly along the center line of Brush street to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 414 San Pablo avenue.

Judges—William Gall and P. A. Cameron.

Inspector—J. S. Burpee.

FOURTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Center street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 1250 Seventh street.

Judges—G. W. Hoguet and [illegible] Kriemberg.

Inspector—Louis Scheeline.

FOURTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Market street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line of the City of Oakland; on the west by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 974 Seventh street.

Judges—D. Danahey and John Muller.
Inspector—James Kelly.

FOURTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Adeline street with the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the center line of Castro street; thence southerly along the center line of Castro street and its extension to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence westerly along said charter line to extension southerly of the center line of Market street; thence northerly to and along the center line of Market street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the center line of Adeline street, and thence northerly along the center line of Adeline street to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 862 Market street.

Judges—Owen Feeney and James Shanley.

Inspector—M. H. Bernheim.

FOURTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Jefferson street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the charter line, and on the west by the center line of Castro street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 673 Seventh street.

Judges—R. Wainwright and George Kirk.

Inspector—Richard Orme.

FIFTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Broadway street intersects the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence northerly along the center line of Broadway street to the center line of Delger or Twentieth street; thence easterly along the center line of Delger or Twentieth street to the old charter line of the City of Oakland in the northwest arm of Lake Merritt; thence northerly along said old charter line to its intersection with the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second street if extended easterly; thence westerly to and along the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second street to the center line of Telegraph avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street, and thence easterly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—1159 Washington street.

Judges—R. Balmforth and Arthur Jones.
Inspector—W. B. Jones.

FIFTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Delger or Twentieth street and its extension easterly to the old charter line of the City of Oakland, and by the said old charter line of the City of Oakland, on the east by the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn township; on the south by the center line of Thirteenth (13th) street and its extension easterly to the said township line, and on the west by the center line of Broadway.

Location of polling place—Northwest corner of Webster and Fourteenth streets.

Judges—S. A. Cohen and R. Rosenberg.
Inspector—J. C. Alexander.

FIFTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Thirteenth (13th) street and its extension easterly to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships; on the east by said line dividing said townships; on the south by the center line of Tenth (10th) street and its extension easterly to said township line, and on the west by the center line of Broadway street.

Location of polling place—Schellhaas' store, Eleventh and Franklin streets.

Judges—James Eddie and V. R. Remmer.

Inspector—M. J. O'Gara.

SIXTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Washington street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of Jefferson street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 503 Seventh street.

Judges—John Bodell and Frank Barnett.

Inspector—M. K. Houghton.

SIXTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Seventh (7th) street; on the east by the center line of Harrison street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Washington street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—722 Webster street.

Judges—W. H. Rodgers and J. H. Martin.

Inspector—J. J. Lerri.

SIXTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Webster street; on the south by the center line of Seventh (7th) street, and on the west by the center line of Washington street.

Location of polling place—No. 407 Eighth street.

Judges—T. W. Baily and O. Page.
Inspector—James Hackett.

SIXTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street and its extension easterly to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships on the east by said township line, on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by a line described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Webster street intersects the center line of Tenth street, thence southerly along the center line of Webster street to the center line of Seventh (7th) street, thence easterly along the center line of Seventh (7th) street to the center line of Harrison street, and thence southerly along the center line of Harrison street to the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—Pumyea's stable, Eighth and Alice streets.

Judges—Caesar Isaacs and J. W. Bonsack.

Inspector—George Atkinson.

SEVENTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning where the center line of Eighth avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly to and along the center line of Eighth avenue to the center line of Twenty-eighth (28th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Twenty-eighth (28th) street to the center line of Matthew avenue; thence northeasterly along the center of Matthew avenue to the center of Hopkins street; thence easterly along the center line of Hopkins street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of Millbury street at the southeast corner of the lands of John Hampel; thence northwesterly along the southern line of the lands of John Hampel to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence southwesterly and southerly along said township line to the charter line on the southern boundary of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along said charter line to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 277 East Twelfth street.

Judges—Eugene Warren and C. D. Hayes.

Inspector—S. J. Pringle.

SEVENTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in in the City of Oakland, described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Eighth avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly to and along the center line of Eighth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth (28th) street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Matthew avenue; thence northeasterly along the center line of Matthew avenue to the center line of Hopkins street; thence easterly along the center line of Hopkins street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center of Eleventh (11th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Eleventh (11th) avenue to the center line of East Eighteenth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Eighteenth street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue to the center line of East Twelfth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Twelfth street to the center line of Commerce street; thence southerly along the center line of Commerce street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence westerly along said charter line to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 580 East Twelfth street.

Judges—J. M. Sabin and Edw. Reid.
Inspector—H. S. Tuttle.

SEVENTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Millbury street with the center line of Thirteenth avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Eleventh (11th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Eleventh avenue to the center line of East Eighteenth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Eighteenth street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue; thence southerly along the center line of Twelfth avenue to the center line of East Twelfth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Twelfth street to the center line of Commerce street; thence southerly along the center line of Commerce street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along said charter line to where the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect said charter line; thence northerly to and along the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue to the center line of Fourteenth (14th) avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Fourteenth avenue to the southern boundary line of the Lynn homestead; thence easterly along the said line of said Lynn homestead to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly, easterly and thence northerly following the said charter line to the intersection of Sausal creek with the eastern extension of the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland; thence westerly along said extension of said boundary line to its intersection with the dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence southwesterly along said dividing line to the southwesterly line of land of Hampel; thence southeasterly along said line of land of Hampel to the point of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 1105 Thirteenth avenue.

Judges—Jeff Gillan and George H. Vose.
Inspector—Paul Wuthe.

SEVENTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland described as follows:

Bounded on the north by the southern boundary of the Lynn homestead; on the east and south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue and by that portion of Commerce street lying northerly from Nineteenth street.

Location of polling place—No. 1105 Twenty-third avenue.

Judges—W. H. Brown and H. B. Witt.
Inspector—H. S. Knapp.

IN ANNEXED TERRITORY.

The entire territory proposed to be annexed and as above specifically described is established as five election precincts, and the polling places in such precincts are hereby fixed and designated at the following places, to-wit:

GOLDEN GATE PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of all that portion of Oakland township bounded and described as follows: All that territory bounded on the west by the eastern charter line of the Town of Emeryville, on the north by the southern charter line of the Town of Berkeley, on the east by the center line of Adeline street, on the south by Temescal creek.

Location of polling place—Klinkner block, corner of San Pablo avenue and Klinkner avenue.

Judges of election—Peter Norberg and W. B. Firman.

Inspector—J. M. Page.

PERALTA PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows: All that territory bounded on the north by the charter line of the Town of Berkeley, on the east by a line described as follows: Commencing at a point in the charter line of the Town of Berkeley 125 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of College avenue—also known as College way—and measured at a right angle to said line of College avenue, thence in a southerly direction on a line parallel with and 125 feet distant westerly from said line of College avenue a distance of 1600 feet, thence at a right angle to said line of College avenue in an easterly direction to and across said College avenue to a point 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of said College avenue and measured at a right angle thereto, thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, to its intersection with the center line of Temescal creek, bounded on the south by the center line of Temescal creek, and on the west by the center line of Adeline street.

Location of polling place—Store of M. P. Manning, N. W. corner of Canning street and Harlow avenue.

Judges of election—J. R. McGregor and H. C. Babcock.

Inspector—C. Scoville.

TEMESCAL PRECINCT NO. 1.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:

All that territory bounded on the north by the center line of Temescal creek, bounded on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning where the center line of Telegraph avenue intersects the charter line of the City of Oakland, running thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Shattuck avenue; thence northerly along the center line of Shattuck avenue to the center line of Temescal creek; bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the charter line of the Town of Emeryville.

Location of polling place—Vacant store, N. s. 45th street, 150 feet west of Grove street.

Judges—Frank Valerga, Geo. S. Naismith.

Inspector—Chas. E. Proctor.

TEMESCAL PRECINCT NO. 2.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:

All that territory bounded on the north by the center line of Temescal creek; on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning at a point in the center line of Temescal creek, distant 275 feet easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, measured at a right angle thereto, thence running in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, and its extension, measured at a right angle thereto to a point on the southerly line of Clifton street, thence in a westerly direction along the southerly line of Clifton street to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Broadway, thence southerly along the southeasterly line of Broadway to its intersection with the charter line of the City of Oakland; bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the west by a line described as follows: Beginning where the center line of Telegraph avenue intersects the charter line of the City of Oakland, running thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Shattuck avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Shattuck avenue to the center line of Temescal creek.

Location of polling place—Podrini's store, 2932 Telegraph avenue.

Judges—P. Swerda and R. B. Nixon.
Inspector—W. B. Moody.

PIEDMONT PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:

Bounded on the west by the southeasterly line of Broadway, on the north and east by a line described as follows; Beginning at the point of intersection of the southeasterly line of Broadway with the southerly line of Clifton street, and running thence in an easterly direction along said line of Clifton street to the westerly line of McAdam street, thence in a direct line due south to the line dividing plots Nos. 13 and 15, as said plots are delineated and so designated upon a map entitled Map of the Rancho of Vicente and Domingo Peralta etc., filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda county on January 21st, 1857, said plot line is the western boundary line of the St. Mary's Cemetery, thence along said plot line in a southwesterly direction to the most western corner of said plot No. 15, thence in a southeasterly direction following the line dividing plots Nos. 14 and 15, as shown on map of aforesaid ranchos (the last named plot line being the southwesterly boundary of the St. Mary's and Mountain View Cemeteries) to the westerly line of Piedmont Sanitary district, thence following the boundary line of Piedmont Sanitary District in a southerly and then in a southeasterly direction to its intersection with the said northern boundary line of the City of Oakland, bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—Store of J. T. Hawley, N. E. corner of Piedmont and Glen avenues.

Judges—E. Rufus Hill and Geo. W. Kelly.

Inspector—C. H. Starkweather.

SECTION III.

It is hereby ordered that notice of said election be given, and the Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to give notice thereof, by the publication of a notice thereof, at least once a week for a period of four successive weeks prior to and next preceding the date of such election in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said City of Oakland, and in the Alameda Daily Argus, a newspaper printed and published outside of the said City of Oakland, but within the said County of Alameda, to-wit: in Alameda, which notice shall distinctly state the proposition so to be submitted as in this Ordinance before specified, shall designate specifically the boundaries of the territory so proposed to be annexed, and shall invite the qualified electors of said city of Oakland, and the qualified electors residing in said new territory so proposed to be annexed, to vote upon the proposition of said proposed annexation, by placing upon their ballots the words, "FOR ANNEXATION" or "AGAINST ANNEXATION" as the electors respectively may be in favor of or against such annexation.

The polls for such election shall be opened at sunrise of the morning of said day of election and shall be kept open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, when the polls shall be closed.

SECTION IV.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print for five days by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 4th, 1897.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

VESTA M. COLBY, Plaintiff,
vs.
AMOS ROBERTS, et al, Defendants.
No. 13,337.

Under and by virtue of an Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1897, in the above entitled action, wherein Vesta M. Colby, the above named plaintiff, obtained a Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale against Amos Roberts, Edward Wolfskill, George W. Hall, William H. Leathers, Frank A. Roberts, Elizabeth Ernst, E. N. Walter, and the San Joaquin Lumber Company (a corporation), defendants, on the 16th day of April, A. D. 1897, for the sum of Twenty-one thousand seven hundred and twenty-two and 55-100 dollars, in United States gold coin, including principal, costs, attorney's fees and interest to the date of said judgment, besides interest thereon from the date of said decree, which said Judgment and Decree was, on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1897, recorded in Judgment Book 28 of said Court, at page 99, I am commanded to sell all that real property situate in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows:

Lots number eleven (11) to eighteen (18), both numbers inclusive, in Block "G"; lots number ten (10) to twenty-nine (29), both numbers inclusive, in Block "I"; lots numbers ten (10) to thirteen (13), both numbers inclusive, in Block "U"; all of Blocks "V," "W" and "X"; lots numbers ten (10) to twenty-one (21) in Block "J"; lots thirteen (13) to seventeen (17), both numbers inclusive, in Block "Q"; also that tract of land bounded on the north by the southerly lines of lots twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), twenty (20) and twenty-one (21), in Block "J"; on the east by the westerly lines of lots 11 to 17, both inclusive, in Block "W"; on the south by the northerly lines of lots 1 to 8, both inclusive, in Block "W"; on the west by the easterly lines of lots 9 and 10, of Block "M" and lot 20 of Block "J," also on the west by the easterly terminus of Lily street, as said lots, blocks and said street are so numbered, laid down and delineated and designated on a certain map entitled "Map No. 3 of the Roberts & Wolfskill Tract, Oakland Township, Alameda County, California," filed in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, California, December 20th, 1887, Lots 13 to 17 in Block "Q," above mentioned, are bounded on the north by the southerly line of Yolo street; on the south by the northerly line of property of Vesta M. Colby—Which lines unite at the easterly terminus of said lot 17 and in the westerly line of Colby street.

Public notice is hereby given that on

TUESDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1897,

At 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House, of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, April 24th, 1897.

W. S. HARLOW,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
NYE & KINSELL, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance changing the names of certain streets in the city of Oakland.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

The names of the following streets are respectively changed, and shall be known and designated as follows:

Taylor street, extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Ninth street.

Seward street, extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Tenth street.

Lincoln street, extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Eleventh street.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

Resolution of Intention No. 22,895.—Resolved, That it is the intention of the Council of the city of Oakland to order the following street work to be done, to-wit:

That Eighth avenue in said city, from the northern curb line of East 11th street to the southern curb line of East 12th street, be sidewalked on both sides with cement walks six feet in width to the official line and grade where not already done in cement or bitumen; also that circular corners be constructed at each crossing where not already done.

The Oakland Tribune is hereby designated as the daily newspaper, published and circulated in said city, in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published for two days, and the notice thereof for six days, as often as said newspaper is issued therein. The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to publish therein and post this Resolution for two days conspicuously on or near the chamber door of said Council.

Adopted May 3rd, 1897, by the said Council and approved by the Mayor of said city May 5th, 1897.

Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

J. W. TOMPKINS,
City Clerk.

THE VAGABOND

Once the Pride of Paris.

Translated from the French—By Martha Lafitte Vieira in Romance.

The day in question was one of the hottest of hot days. The mid-day sun beamed down in torrid rays, and the Correctional of the Palais-de-Justice de Villefranche was simply stifling. Not a breath of air came through the blinds of the court room, the sky was cloudless and the dry leaves hung motionless upon the chestnut trees of the Grande-Place. The heaviness of the atmosphere oppressed the judges who leaned wearily upon their desks, and, while perspiring from every pore, the lookers on listened listlessly to the different cases being tried.

President Bouchard had hurried through three or four or five cases and thought his work at an end for the day when suddenly Divaille, the court crier, dragged himself to his feet and with effort called in a husky voice.

"Antoine-Jean."

As he said the words, a huge fellow, the very type of a good for nothing, entered. He was covered from head to foot, despite the heat, with a sort of yellow cloak of the most nondescript order, the origin of which must have dated back into the dark ages. The man advanced slowly and gazed before him with an air of sublime indifference. His hair was long, unkempt, one mass of tangle, and gray in color, as was also his long beard. In appearance the worthy—or rather unworthy—Antoine-Jean was a complete poem of misery, a vision of dirt and dust together with a half famished look that appealed if not to sympathy at least to pity—an attribute so akin to contempt. In spite of the general unsightliness of the prisoner, the expression of his face afforded the greatest study of all, being a singular combination of intelligence and worthlessness, together with a certain which indicated a past that accorded ill with the present.

It would have been no easy task to decide whether an old or young man stood in the worn-out shoes and tattered garments, for while his hair was gray, his form was erect, even stately, and his eyes large, piercing and keen.

"Your name?" demanded the president in a weary tone, scarcely glancing in the direction of the prisoner.

"Antoine-Jean."

"Your profession?"

"My what, your honor?"

"Your profession," repeated M. Bouchard.

"Capitalist," responded his listener, turning his trouser pockets inside out.

Accustomed as he was to receiving fantastic replies, the president was in no humor for jest. The heat was overpowering and he looked sternly at the prisoner.

"Your jest is ill-timed. Respect the Court."

The man addressed appeared quietly amused; he smiled but made no reply. His blue eyes riveted upon the face of his judge. He seemed to take pleasure in the study and he to care little for the stern expression noted and which might herald an imprisonment of eleven or more months in jail. Of eight months he felt sure; this view of the case being drawn from his experience before half the tribunals of France!

"Well, Antoine-Jean, I have examined your case," continued the president, "and this is what I find——"

"It is useless, Monsieur le President, interrupted the prisoner. I know the old story, being quite as well informed as yourself, I would suggest Your Honor"——

"Silence!" was the command given and, shrugging his shoulders, the prisoner assumed an air of indifference.

"This is what I find," resumed the President, adjusting his spectacles on the bridge of his nose. "You were condemned at Tonnerre for vagabondage. You were condemned for two months. Three months at Dijon for the same reason; four months at Sancerre-idem; again at Bourges, to La Charite, at Nevers, etc., etc. I see that you have made a complete tour of France, and now return doubtless to the place where you started from."

"Yes, Your Honor."

"Eight months at Orange, nine months at Valence, ten at Ville-franche. Always vagabondage. Antoine-Jean, what have you to say for yourself?"

"Nothing to you, Monsieur le President," replied the accused, calmly. "But to you, my old Bouchard, I will tell all."

By a singuar phenomenon, a simple phrase spoken in a low tone may arouse a sleeping memory more completely than a salvo of artillery. That such is the case is a mystery. What is very certain is that these few words fell from the lips of the vagabond, the audience was strangely moved. The two judges were filled with indignation that the outcast should dare thus to address the Court, and throughout the audience confusion reigned until a stentorian voice was heard calling "order."

"My old Bouchard!" There was in those three words at least one year of imprisonment. The president, aroused from his astonishment, turned toward the man whose voice was heard again; this time there was no sardonic ring to offend, it was low and almost tearful.

"Bouchard! Bouchard!" do you not remember Rabelais?"

To all present it was a clear case, the man was insane and severity was out of place. Thus the judges and the president would regard the affair.

President Bouchard looked fixedly at the speaker for an instant, then in a gentle voice he said: "Be seated."

After a short colloquy with the judges to the surprise of all present, M. Bouchard said:

"Two months, remove the prisoner."

The gaze of the curious turned toward the vagabond as with an air of careless indifference he walked out of the court room accompanied by the officer.

The court adjourned, and President Bouchard in his long coat, high hat, cane and gloves descended thoughtfully the steps of the Palais-de-Justice. His brow was knit and he seemed oppressed with thoughts. Exchanging a few words with the judges who hurried on, Bouchard paused for an instant as though irresolute and then, retracing his steps, he entered the corridor leading to the room where during trials the prisoners were held. The keeper was standing at the door smoking his pipe and was greatly surprised to see the president approach.

Bouchard was known to be a man of rigid principles, but of kind heart and more than once when he had left the bench and could put aside the duties of judge he would visit the prisoners and offer them words of encouragement.

The old guardian removed his pipe and raised his velvet cap respectfully, and with a military salute awaited to be addressed by his visitor.

"Perrin," said M. Bouchard, "among the prisoners of today there is one named Antoine-Jean."

"Yes, Monsieur le President."

"I desire to interview him."

"Nothing easier. If Monsieur le President will do me the honor"——

"No," interrupted M. Bouchard. "It is at my own house that I wish to question the man. Have the kindness to bring him to me." He hesitated an instant, trying doubtless to name an hour when he would be disengaged. "At five o'clock," he added hurriedly, "bring the man yourself."

Perrin promised, although surprised by so unusual a request.

At five o'clock President Bouchard, still thoughtful but nervously impatient, walked to and fro in his library. The blinds were carefully drawn down, permitting only a few rays of sunlight to penetrate. At length the bell rang and M. Bouchard seated himself quickly in his arm chair as was habitual to him, his countenance grew composed and once more he was the stern judge.

A confused noise was heard without in the ante-chamber, the murmur of voices; the door opened, and the prison-keeper entered, leading his charge, who presented the same untroubled calm for which he had been conspicuous while in the court room.

"Your Honor," commenced the keeper, "here is"——.

"Yes," interrupted M. Bouchard. "I thank you, Perrin; now leave us, I will recall you in a few minutes."

As the man passed out of sight, the president closed the door and let fall the heavy drapery that masked the entrance. Then turning briskly he rushed to the vagabond and, with tearful eyes, extended his hand."

"You, my poor Chabert. My poor Rabelais, in this garb, in this deplorable condition."

"You recognize me?" responded the condemned in a low tone and without lowering his eyes before the gaze of the judge, who, drawing a chair beside his own, he bid him be seated. His eyes still searched the face of his companion seeing some explanation for his miserable situation.

"Yes, it is indeed me," replied the vagabond. "I, Chabert, the former companion of Louis le Grande, I the Rabelais who held his nose in the air and was the life of every company."

The president listened with a sad smile.

"My poor friend, how"——

"Speak in a lower tone," interrupted the prisoner. "What if anyone should hear you. How did I reach this state of things? Great heaven! as easily and naturally as you your seat as president of the Tribunal. Each one of us on this lower earth has his part to play. Yours is to be president and judge, mine to appear before you as a vagabond. All things come and go, and one result has in point of fact little more reason to exist than the other. It is simply fate."

"Does he jest or does he philosophize?" questioned the president mentally, as rising he pressed his hand to his forehead in perplexity.

"You are hungry, perhaps. I will"—

"Thanks," interrupted Chabert softly. "I fare well in the prison and need nothing."

"To think," continued Bouchard, resuming his seat, "that I was obliged to sentence you, my poor Chabert, whom I knew in other days as a good fellow, kind, sensitive and sensible. Too sensible, doubtless," added the president with a piercing glance; "oh the perpetual irony and cruelty of fate. Bouchard, the judge of Chabert-Rabelais! Look, you my friend, when you uttered that last name which recalled such a host of happy memories, that name which was your passport everywhere, my heart sank within me, and I seemed almost to see before me an unhappy mad man, but not Rabelais, my old friend. I felt as though a thorn had pierced my heart. I gazed at you earnestly and at length recognized you whom your own father, if he still lived, would scarcely have known. He is dead, is he not? and your mother also, but for that you would not stood in the court room a prisoner."

"They are both dead," replied Chabert in a serious tone, "yes, they are dead and there is no one left to blush for me. Not even my wife, who will never know what has become of me."

"Your wife. True, you are married, for the last proof of friendship that I received from you was the letter written to announce your marriage. I remember in what enthusiastic terms you spoke marriage with Mademoiselle Diarish, one of the brilliant stars of the Theatre Francais."

The judge cast his eyes upon Chabert.

"If you would find the cause, seek for a woman," he said in a low tone. "Faith, yes," replied the vagabond. "Woman is the root of all evil. When a man falls from the height from which I have fallen, be sure it is because he has leaned on the arm of a woman and that arm gave way."

President Bouchard dreaded to question him, fearing to hear that which he preferred not to listen to, but the unfortunate made his confession to the judge and the friend could only listen.

"It was a marriage for love. A marriage without love," continued Chabert. "Thus equipped, it is not possible to accomplish. I simply adored my wife, but I provided ill for her wants. Well, she deceived me. There are those who in such a case kill themselves; some who make beasts of themselves with drink. Others who turn to work. I, perhaps, suffered less; I went mad. One bright day I left the house where for three years I had lived as proud and happy as a God. I took nothing with me, and without turning to look behind me, I walked straight on.

"On and on I went through roads great and small, under the rays of the sun, in rain or by starlight. It mattered not, I saw nothing. I halted at night when my feet, bleeding and swollen refused to carry me farther. One morning I awakened in a room in an inn where, on the night before, I had, although penniless, knocked for admission.

"The inkeeper, a kindhearted man, gave me a piece of bread and wished me a prosperous tour. Where? I did not know, but still tramped on my way. I remember no more. I had journeyed aimlessly. My hat was worn, my clothes in tatters and there was nothing in my appearance that spoke in my favor. Two gendarmes, who passed and saw me sitting before a ditch, beckoned me to go to them, and asked me for my 'papers.'

"'Papers,' the question appeared to me so odd that I laughed in their faces. They on their part judging my society to be agreeable, as I thought, took me between them and escorted me to the neighboring village. On the morning of the following day—Antoine-Jean—a ray of reason led me to withhold my true name—was committed for two months. What shall I say? Those two months were for my moral and mental and physical condition the beginning of a complete transformation. In the solitude of my cell the habit of thought returned and I dreamed. Do you know of what? I will tell you. Was it of the treachery of my wife, her crime? No. It was of the happiness she had given me during those three years of paradise on earth, when I had lived near her, loving her and, believing myself beloved. The memory of her perfidy, of my despair had fled, my thoughts did not dwell upon it for an instant. This is what imprisonment did for me. My two months completed, I took my stick and bundle, for like every other vagabond I now had a stick and bundle, and resumed my tour of France. When I had expended the little sum of money I had earned by working in the prison, I seated myself upon the roadside and waited for the gendarmes to pass. Again I was arrested and confinement for several months followed. It has taken ten years for me to reach here. Two months hence I will resume my travels."

Chabert had related his adventures deliberately, dispassionately, without a trace of anger, impatience or sadness. It was simply a recital of his experience. The tone of his voice and his bearing was expressive of profound indifference.

"My dear Chabert," said the president after a brief silence as he clasped his listener's hand within his own, "My dear Chabert, I want to save you."

The vagrant looked at him with surprise.

"To save me from what?"

"From yourself and in despite of yourself, if need be," replied Bouchard firmly and with feeling. "The two months' imprisonment you surely understand I will not permit you to serve. Little by little Antoine-Jean is to disappear to be swallowed up in Chabert."

"Do you mean that you wish me to begin my life over again? No, anything rather than that," exclaimed the vagabond rising.

"My poor Bouchard," he continued in turn, clasping the hands of his companion, "Your are good and you love me, but my worst enemy could not suggest a greater evil. Do not look at me with such surprise. Do not imagine that you have to do with a miserable, forsaken alien, who should be cared for and not punished. I speak to you frankly when I say to you alone in this room that to me the prison is a sweet and merciful abode. There I can recall the past without thinking of the present or the future. There I revel in my dear dream of other days. Of that dream—my only joy you would rob."

"Never," exclaimed his listener, "Never! do you hear? I am resolute. I am about to do for you what I have never before done for any man, I am going to give you clothes and money and bid you go free. You shall escape through this door which leads directly upon the street. I will today be guilty of this offense against the law, and tomorrow I will go to Lyons and lay your case before the court, accepting the result of its decision respecting my conduct."

The vagabond listened with stern attention, his brows knit, his lips compressed and his arms folded upon his breast.

"Monsieur le President," he replied in a firm voice as Bouchard ceased speaking. "I command you to have me taken to prison."

Touched by the look of grief depicted upon the face of his listener, he added gently:

"I implore you."

"Be it so," responded M. Bouchard in a sad voice, "but at least," he added with tenderness, "it shall not be until I have embraced you."

"Certainly not," replied the vagabond, as he clasped his companion in his arms. For a moment he held him close against his heart and both were silent, then Chabert disengaged himself from the embrace, saying:

"Now, Monsieur le President, do your Chabert stood, his eyes seeming to be duty." Erect, calm and submissive Chabert stood, his eyes seeming to be fixed on some far off object, while he remained silent and thoughtful.

'BOUT BLOOMERS.

To assist beginners in learning to ride the wheel a new device has an overhead track, on which a trolley wheel is hung, to which the bicycle is attached by a rope to prevent falling, the floor being fitted with raised guides to keep the wheel straight.

The Foolish Enthusiast.—
He thought the gentle spring was here.
He took his gleaming steed;
He jumped upon it, and away
He rode at lightning speed.
The north wind blew as is its wont
When April weds with May;
His face took on a ruddy hue,
And yet he pumped away!
But ere the sun had swept his course,
And ere the evening shadows fell
That foolish rider lay, as stiff
As any fable macker-el!
—Cleveland Leader.

In buying a bicycle, be sure to get the best. Any of the advertisements will tell you which that is.—Somerville Journal.

She—How did you manage to get my beautiful bicycle home through all this storm and not a spot on it?

He—It was nothing, my dear. I put my overcoat over one wheel, lashed my umbrella over the other, and then carried the wheel. I only did my duty.

She—Your heroic devotion has conquered, Harold! May it carry you through an interview with papa!—Detroit Free Press.

"I'm sorry," said the guard to the messenger, "but the Sultan cannot be disturbed."

"I have a message marked personal and important."

"I can't help that. The physician's orders are that he is not to be disturbed under and circumstances."

"What's the matter with him?"

"Nervous prostration. One of the members of the harem was so thoughtless as to come into his presence with her bicycle clothes on, and he mistook her for a Greek soldier."—Washington Star.

They were evidently waiting for a car, and had been pleasantly chatting about the weather and other things, when one of them suddenly asked:

"By the way, can you tell me why Grover Cleveland is like a deadbeat's old bicycle fixed over?"

His companion scratched his head and then gave it up.

"Because," was the answer, "he has been retired without pay."

When they were last seen the joker was still nearly half a lap ahead, but badly winded.—Cleveland Leader.

"It is harder and harder," she sighed, "for one who is poor to be honest."

For instance, the bicycle costumes of the day left a person who was not distinctly plump virtually no alternative to the practice of deception in a greater or lesser degree.—Detroit Journal.

"Did you hear about Scorcher's first words when they brought him to after the railroad accident?"

"Did he ask if his wheel was hurt?"

"No; he said he'd swear he wasn't going more than eight miles an hour."—Puck.

Cyclist are urged to celebrate the Queen's jubilee by overhauling the milestones throughout the United Kingdom, and seeing that they are put in place, painted, and correctly lettered.

The Press Clipping Bureau
510 Montgomery street, San Francisco, furnishes all newspaper clippings on all subjects, business and personal.

THREE LADIES RAN.

Three ladies run over to the Oakland Free Market, Clay, Fifth and Washington streets, to buy fresh country produce, butter, eggs, meat, poultry, game, tinware, spices, fruit, rabbits, fresh vegetables, dry goods, cheese, fancy goods, etc., etc., ad infinitum. The Free Market sells nearly everything you want, and keeps the purest and best. Open Wednesdays and Saturdays.

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Finally, after trying numerous remedies, a physician was called and began treating the patient. He said the trouble was caused by impoverished blood, but after several weeks of his treatment the young lady's condition had not improved and the parents decided to procure the services of another physician. In the meantime Miss Watrous' nervousness had increased, the pains in her head had grown more severe and, the sufferer's parents had almost given up hope of her recovery.

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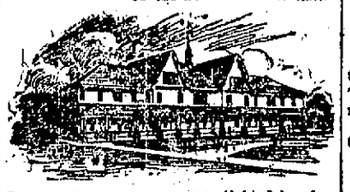

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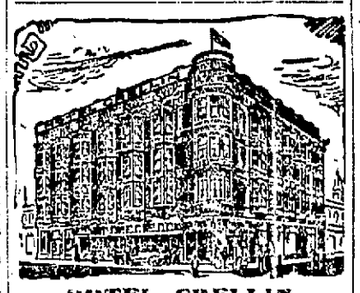

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THE GREEKS LOSE ANOTHER BIG BATTLE.

After a Bloody Engagement Lasting Several Hours Edhem Pasha's Men Are Rewarded With Victory.

AN ADVANCE NOW ON VOLO.

Marines Landed from Foreign Warships to Save the Town.

FLIGHT OF THE GREEKS.

Their Army Split in Two and Smolenski's Retreat Cut off

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 8.—Edhem Pasha has telegraphed the Porte: "After a fierce battle and considerable force the Greek army at Velestino was utterly routed. We captured the town and afterwards captured the strategic points surrounding Pelatepe on the road to Volo. Our victorious army is now marching on that town."

TO SAVE VOLO.

Marines From the Warships of the Powers Are Landed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VELESTINO, May 8.—The Greeks have evacuated Volo.

Detachments of marines have landed from the British, Russian, French, Austrian and German warships to guard the town.

The foreign consuls have arrived to confer with Edhem Pasha, the Turkish commander.

As this dispatch is being sent the Turkish troops are entering Volo.

The Greeks who fled to Almyros will rejoin the main body of the Greek forces at Domokos.

A BLOODY FIGHT.

The Story of Edhem Pasha's Latest and Greatest Victory.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HEADQUARTERS TURKISH ARMY, THESSALY, PHARASLOS, May 7.—7 A. M.—Delayed in transmission.—Early today there was an engagement lasting several hours between the Turks and Greeks at Velestino.

The latter were beaten.

The Greek forces retreated in the direction of Volo, also on Almyros.

The Turks started in pursuit.

Later the Turkish division succeeded in forcing its way through the fourth and last line of the Greek entrenchments on the heights in the rear of Velestino.

The fight was of short duration.

Both sides fought with great courage and determination but the fire of the Turkish infantry decided the result.

Towards the end of the action the Turkish artillery fire was directed with the utmost accuracy, the battery commander taking a great deal more care in judging the distances.

The shrapnel fire was murderous almost every shell being accurately pitched.

The Turkish loss at Pharasolos was slight since only the advance guard of the Turks was engaged and skirmishers had the way cleared for them by the fire of the Turkish batteries.

The Turkish loss in the fighting at Velestino was the heavier.

The two hospitals at Larissa are almost filled with wounded.

TO BE NEUTRAL.

The Turks Are Requested Not to Occupy Volo.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATHENS, May 8.—The newspapers published a report yesterday that Volo had been declared a neutral port and the Turks therefore would not occupy it.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Skouloudis, is quoted as saying the Powers had not yet taken steps to communicate with the Greek Ministry on the subject of intervention, although it is understood the Powers are discussing some form of intervention.

He also said he knew nothing concerning the report that Volo would be declared a neutral port but added if the Turkish troops commit excesses in that town, Greece will take the measures demanded by the situation.

M. Skouloudis said the report of dissensions among the Ministers is absolutely false.

Volo has been completely evacuated by the Greeks.

A dispatch from Arta says: Fuad Bey, the Turkish commander, through a Greek priest at Arta, has issued a proclamation to the Christian population, ordering them to lay down arms as otherwise their villages would be burned. The envirous of Kanja in Turkish territory are burning.

CUT IN TWO.

The Greek Army Now at the Mercy of the Turks.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The Turkish legation regards the Turkish advance to Volo as the most important and decisive movement since the war began.

It leaves the Greek army cut in two, with General Smolenski outflanked and unable to communicate with the main body of the Greek army under Prince Constantine.

The Turkish forces now occupy a line extending from Milouna Pass southward to Volo.

General Smolenski's army is east of this line with a Turkish army between him and Athens.

COMMUNICATION CUT OFF.

The Turkish Manoeuvers Outwitting Those of the Greeks.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 8.—A special dispatch to the Press from Athens says:

Turkish strategy again has been shown to be pre-eminent. After cutting the railroad from Pharsalos to Velestino at Avalli, a point near Pharsalos, thus intercepting communication between the right and left wings of the Greek army, they on Thursday morning made a successful drive through the Greek line of defense, threatening to divide the Greek army. This would have had the disastrous effect of shutting in the right wing of Prince Constantine's forces at Volo.

Advancing in a crescent shaped formation, as they have done all through this campaign, the Turks out-flanked the Greek line on the west, making Pharsalos untenable and an immediate retreat necessary of the whole Greek line.

The Greeks' positions on their second line of defense were harassed. It is twenty-five miles from Pharsalos on their left to Velestino on their right, with mountainous country between. The Greek army was not large enough to cover a front so extensive. It was impossible for them to move troops quickly over difficult country, and when the Turks made a concentrated attack upon them from the plains, striking at one point, the Greeks were compelled to fall back, their whole line of defense being placed at once in a most perilous predicament.

Under cover of an artillery fire dropping shells incessantly into the Greek lines, the Turkish infantry stormed and captured the ridges around Pharsalos. The troops fought with a fiendish courage, and their movements, directed by the German officers, were executed with admirable military precision. The Greeks met them at first with a murderous rifle fire, and the Moslem losses were terrible—for heavier than those of the Greeks.

The retreat of the right wing of the Greek army, under General Smolenski was conducted in perfect order.

The retreat of the left wing of the Greek army from Pharsalos was not made in such good order.

The Greek army will have no trouble in concentrating again at Domoko, where another stand will be made.

It is asserted that the heavy guns of the Greek fleet will be able to prevent the Turks forcing the pass of Thermopylae, but if the warships are moved south to this essential strategical point the town of Volo would be taken easily by the Turks. Even today (Friday) a hurried exodus is going on from Volo in anticipation of its occupation by Edhem Pasha's troops.

[illegible] Christians still remain in the evacuated territory of Thessaly. [illegible] are flying south in consternation, abandoning their household effects and leaving the invaders to trample under foot in their ruthless advance the fields of ripening grain.

SAN FRANCISCANS LEAD.

California Turners Do Good Work at St Louis.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ST. LOUIS, May 8.—The plans of the National Turn Fest were disarranged this morning by the rain. It did not interfere with the individual contests, which were held in the booths and buildings on the Fair grounds, but the field exercises, left unfinished from yesterday, could not be continued until the grounds had dried up somewhat. There are still fifty-nine societies whose members had not taken part in the 100 yard foot race. If these cannot be run off the whole affair will be called off. The rehearsal of mass exercises with wands was done away with entirely on account of the wet grounds. In fencing, there were thirty contestants with foils and eight with sabres. Individual competitions, far jumping, pole vaulting and hand climbing were pulled off between showers. So far New York, San Francisco and Denver are showing up best among visitors.

WENT AGAINST THE LAW.

Strikers Must Not Interfere With the Rights of Others.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CLEVELAND, O., May 8.—A knock-out blow to the strikers of the Consolidated Steel Company was delivered by Judge Sage in the United States Circuit Court this morning.

He allows a temporary injunction against them to stand.

Judge Sage maintained that proof was conclusive that violence had been done by the men in the employ of the company. He said the Rod Mill Workers' Union was the fountain-head of the trouble, and that it was clear that the strikers had interfered with the lawful right of the company.

Since the temporary injunction was granted the company has not been molested.

POLICE PICKINGS.

Many Matters Are Brought Up Before Judge Allen.

N. P. Jansen, proprietor of the Louvre, has forfeited $30 bail for selling liquor after 12 o'clock. The accused was absent from the city at the time of the alleged offense.

Gee Boo, a Chinaman arrested for selling lottery tickets, was allowed to go on $10 bail. He will be tried May 10th.

The trials of Henry Schmidt, for obtaining goods from P. Linderman under false pretenses and of Mrs. W. W. Dames for boxing the ears of Dr. Stimpson's daughter, Ruby, have been set for May 15th.

W. A. Ayers, once a prosperous merchant of this city, who has lately eked out a precarious existence by selling lottery tickets was arrested for that offense last evening. He will be tried May 10th.

A. Cukisinki, the Jap whose wooden ash barrel was the cause of the fire in the Chinese wash house at 422 Fifth street, has forfeited $10 bail. He was arrested for violating the fire ordinance relating to wooden ash barrels.

THE VICTIM'S NEGLIGENCE.

The Suit of Finnigan Is Won by the O. C. R. R. Co., the Defendant.

The damage suit against the Oakland Consolidated Railroad by G. F. Cavalli, executor of the estate of M. J. Finnigan, came to a sudden termination this morning. The attorneys finished their arguments last night and this morning Judge Hall charged the jury.

The twelve men and true, retired for a few minutes and then returned with a verdict for the company. It was shown in the final testimony introduced that Finnigan had been drinking and was presumably under the influence of liquor at the time he was struck by the car. A question also arose as to whether the blow received was the cause of death. Some of the medical experts examined declared it was not the fracture of the skull that killed the man and it was intimated that injuries received after Finnigan had been arrested were responsible.

On the ground of contributory negligence, the jury brought in the verdict.

SUING FOR A SALARY.

Testimony in the Case Against the Publishers of "Echoes."

The suit brought by A. May, a solicitor for the "Echoes" against its proprietors F. H. Robinson and J. A. Connor is on trial before Judge Clift today. May sues to recover $106.40 for his services. The testimony taken during the morning tended to show that May devoted only part of his time to work on the paper and according to agreement was to receive 25 per cent of all the business he brought to the office. Connor, Robinson, May and a typesetter, Miss Carpenter, testified.

Judge Clift rendered judgment this afternoon for the plaintiff in the sum of $59.10.

BEACH SUICIDES.

Ill Health Causes a Wealthy Man to Tire of Life.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 8.—E. Kellogg Beach, a retired capitalist, committed suicide today in the bathroom of his home by shooting himself in the mouth. Despondency over ill health is supposed to have been the cause. Beach was a graduate of West Point. His fortune is estimated at $1,500,000.

Got Sixty Days.

Word comes from Pittsburg, Pa., that John M. St. Peter, who eloped with a married woman and her child and came to Oakland, where he was arrested for embezzling $800 belonging to the Window Glass Workers' Association of Pittsburg, has been given sixty days imprisonment and fined 5¼ cents.

WHERE WILL THEY GO?

Oakland Militiamen Are Undecided About Camping.

COMMITTEES ARE AT WORK.

The First and Fifth to Settle a Knotty Question.

SAN JOSE BEING BOOMED.

Ukiah and Santa Rosa Have Also Made Offers.

The committees from the First and Fifth Infantries appointed to select suitable sites for their respective organizations have been hard at work during the past week, and will probably make their reports during the coming week.

Although no site has been definitely decided on by either regiment, it is pretty well understood that the Fifth Infantry officers are showing a strong partiality to San Jose, and there is no doubt that the residents of the Garden City will gladly welcome the State soldiers.

Santa Cruz, which at first seemed to stand the best show of getting either or both the First and Fifth regiments, is now likely to be scratched from the list of probable camping places of both organizations. The people of Santa Cruz, as has already been announced, have offered splendid inducements to General Muller's brigade, and are encouraged in believing that it will camp there.

The town, in addition to furnishing a camp site, fodder and water, has agreed to give the brigade a bonus of $1,000. General Muller and Colonel Wright have promised to accept this offer providing that reasonable transportation rates can be secured. If not, the brigade is likely to go into camp at Good Water Grove at Stockton.

The citizens of Santa Cruz have made a similar offer excepting the $1000 bonus to the First Infantry, but the officers of that regiment, it seems, do not take as kindly to the proposition as was hoped by those who made it. The officers claim it is not because a bonus unaccompanies the effort, for they say that they purpose to go where the best interests, from a military standpoint, of the regiment will be served.

The old camping grounds at Santa Cruz, where the famous Battle of Tripe Hill was fought, were only recently plowed up, and the owner wants $100 for their use for a week. In consequence, the citizens of the town had to find another site for General Muller's brigade on the flats adjoining the old bath house.

Officers of the First Infantry, who are experienced in selecting camp grounds, claim that the Santa Cruz site is not a suitable one for military purposes in that it is poorly protected against the winds and fog from the sea and portions of the land is believed to be too soft to permit hard drill exercises.

Another objection is that the site is practically situated in the town, and they much prefer a location some distance from civilization, where guard lines can be properly established and the camp made particularly destructive.

In short, the officers are in favor of going to some place where the regiment will have an opportunity to confine itself strictly to military drill and have less of the social functions which have marked past camps so distinctly.

It is mainly for these reasons that the committees appointed by the First Infantry regiment has, so it is said, been carefully considering offers made by Ukiah and Santa Rosa.

The officers of the Fifth also share similar views and favor selecting San Jose, because it can give them an excellent camping ground some distance from the town.

Transportation, however, cuts quite a figure in the selection of sites, and until both regiments can hear something definite from Sacramento regarding the amount of money they will be allowed, they will not announce their favored places.

Arrived.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAMBURG, May 8.—Arrived: The Normania from New York for Plymouth; the Mannheim from New York.

LIVERPOOL—The Britannic and Nomadic from New York.

BREMEN—The Dresden from Baltimore.

GENOA—The Fulda from New York.

NEW YORK—The Etruria from Liverpool.

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TWO MEN DROWNED

One Lost His Life Looking for the Other's Body.

SAD TRAGEDY AT STOCKTON.

John Robinson and Chris. Johnson Die in a Lake.

THE DAY ON THE COAST.

Mrs. William Soule Commits Suicide While out Visiting.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

STOCKTON, May 8.—Two men were drowned in McLeod's lake this forenoon shortly before 11 o'clock by a strange coincidence.

One was a young man named John Robinson, who left his home in Antioch a day or two ago, to go to work on the barge Katie.

As he was unloading cord wood from the barge this forenoon he tripped on the gang plank and fell into the water between the barge and the wharf.

A piece of weed fell on his head and must have stunned him for although a good swimmer, he did not rise again.

Shortly afterwards Chris Johnson, fireman on the steamer Clara Crow, which towed the barge, jumped off the boat and was drowned.

He was under the influence of liquor and it is supposed in his stupor he thought he could recover the remains of Robinson.

He was one of the oldest steamboat men on the river.

A BIG DEFICIENCY.

San Francisco Runs Many Thousands of Dollars Behind.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 8.—How the city Board of Supervisors is to pay the remainder of the city's expenses during the balance of the fiscal year was the question under discussion today at the joint meeting of Supervisors and the heads of the municipal departments. The city officials were appealed to for and by the Supervisors in the way of suggestions for reductions in expenses, but all the heads of the departments said that not a single subordinate could be spared and no relief in the form of a decreased staff or salary was admitted possible.

Mayor Phelan will personally conduct an investigation to see what saving can be effected, it is estimated that the deficiency exceeds $100,000.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

An Electrical Storm Plays Lots of Havoc in Washington.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SPOKANE, May 8.—News has reached here of an electrical storm which occurred near Chewelah, Washington, Thursday, in which two girls, Miss Lutie McCormick and Laura Boller, were badly injured.

They were returning from school and took refuge under a large pine tree.

A bolt of lightning struck the tree and the girls were knocked senseless.

They were also badly burned but will probably recover.

Several others were knocked down by the lightning and three head of cattle were killed.

SUICIDED WITH POISON.

A Prominent Resident of Woodland Ends Her Life.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WOODLAND, Cal., May 8.—Mrs. William Soule, of this city, committed suicide by taking strychnine this morning, at the residence of Mrs. Joe Paul, her sister, in Winters.

Ill health and despondency on account of business reverses were the causes.

LOTS OF SCANDAL.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CARSON, Nev., May 8.—In the Heney mortgage case growing out of the Mint scandal a sensation seems imminent. District Attorney Jones stated in court that he would prove conspiracy on the part of the defendants as well as perjury.

NOW FOR THE FILL.

The Obliteration of the Marsh to Begin Next Monday.

The dredging at the West Oakland Park will be commenced Monday. Everything has been put in readiness for the work.

The territory to be filled comprises that which is to be used as a park, bounded by Seventeenth, Twenty-second, Wood and Campbell streets, also the surrounding land, which now is, and for many years has been a pestilential quagmire.

The work will be done by Captain John Hackett.

Judge Clift married a young couple from San Francisco this morning. They were Leon Hartman Lobenstein and Rosa Lobenstein.

CIVIL SERVICE.

The Senate Committee Gives the Subject Some Attention.

VIEWS OF CERTAIN OFFICIALS.

Several Amendments Are Suggested by the Agents.

CASES OF ALLEGED ABUSE.

A Free-Silverite Resigns So as Not to Oppose McKinley.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—The Committee on Civil Service of the Senate today resumed the investigation of the operations of the law.

Senators Pritchard of North Carolina and Chilton of Texas and President Proctor and George R. Wales of the Civil Service Commission conducted the proceedings.

Several letters from Government officials giving opinions of the law were read.

Secretary Bliss recommended that each Commissioner of a department have the right to appoint a private secretary or a confidential clerk and the chief clerk of the department and the chiefs of division will be exempted from classified service.

The appointment of special agents, such as land, timber and mineral land Commissioners, and particularly a special Indian Agent, he wrote, should be more directly under the control of the Secretary, who is responsible for them. He suggested an Examining Board of a secretary and four Commissioners, to make special examinations for such offices.

Commissioner of Pensions Evans and Commissioner Herman of the General Land Office recommended that the chief clerk, appointment clerk, private secretary, chiefs of pension and examiners and inspectors be exempt from classified service.

Director Walcott of the Geological Survey and Wade Hampton, the Commissioner of Railroads, recommended the continuance of the present law.

Thomas Robinson, a $1,600 Treasury clerk, complained that he had been dismissed on demand of Georgia Senators because he had printed the only Republican newspapers in Georgia during Grant's second campaign.

William W. Hill, former assistant superintendent of free mail delivery, charged that there had been collusion between the Postoffice Department and the Civil Service Commission to violate the law by the employment in 1894 and in 1895 of fifty-nine spies, termed inspectors, whose employment was not authorized by law.

Two inspectors, Hill asserted, were brothers of Machen, the superintendent of the free delivery service.

One brother had been under charges of embezzlement in Toledo, Ohio, when appointed, and another appointee had been dismissed from the Washington Postoffice for embezzling the funds of the Letter Carriers' Association.

RESIGNED A PLACE.

A Michigan Man Who Believes in Having Free Silver.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Henry A. Robinson of Michigan, the statistician of the Agricultural Department tendered his resignation today.

Robinson is an ardent free silver man and said that he thought it only right that the Administration should have the office at its disposal. The office pays $3,000 a year and is protected by the civil service law.

Secretary Wilson appointed John Hyde of Nebraska, well-known as the agricultural expert of the eleventh census to succeed Robinson.

THROUGH A BRIDGE.

Wreck of a Train Without the Loss of Any Lives.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PUEBLO, Colo., May 8.—Passenger train No. 6 East bound on the Santa Fe railroad, due here at 7 o'clock this morning, went through a bridge over the Arkansas river at Lamar at 3 o'clock this morning.

The engine, mail car, baggage car, chair car and smoker went into the river, two sleepers only remaining on the track.

The Engineer, John Madigan, who stuck to his post, had one rib broken.

Two tramps, whose names are unknown, were stealing a ride on the pilot. One had an arm and the other a leg broken. Nobody else was injured.

A flood caused by heavy rains undermined the foundations of the bridge.

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WANTS BIG DAMAGES

A Former Patient of the Infirmary Makes Complaint.

SUPERINTENDENT CLARK SUED.

Chas. Robinson Asks $10,000 for a Broken Leg.

AN ODD STORY IS TOLD.

Dr. Clark Says Robinson at the Time Was Drunk.

Charles L. Robinson is about to commence suit to recover $10,000 damages from Dr. Clark, Superintendent of the County Infirmary.

Robinson is a blind man and says that his grievance dates back to July 13, 1895.

On that day he was an inmate of the Infirmary. According to his story he was lying in his bunk when he heard the sound of some one moving in the opposite bed. The bunk in question belonged to his partner and he spoke to him.

There was no answer but the rustling sound continued.

Robinson became suspicious and asked "Who's there?"

He was still unanswered so determined to find out what was going on he got out of bed and groped his way towards the opposite bunk.

While he was thus occupied he says that Dr. Clark entered the apartment and ordered him back to bed.

He refused to go, whereupon, according to his complaint, Dr. Clark seized and forced him back with such violence that he broke his leg.

During the next few months he therefore remained in the Infirmary to have his leg treated, and for the damage caused and the time thus lost he now asks the $10,000.

Dr. Clark is not alarmed at the suit. He says that at the time the incident referred to occurred Robinson was drunk, and that while he was endeavoring to induce the patient to lie down Robinson fell and broke his leg.

FOUGHT A DUEL.

German Combatants Sustain Severe Wounds on the Hands.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VIENNA, May 8.—A duel with sabres was fought today between Herr Wolff a member of the lower house of the Reichsrath who introduced the motion submitted by the German Nationalists to impeach Badeni, the Minister of Foreign Affairs and nearly all the other ministers for violating their powers in issuing a decree authorizing the official use of the Czech language in Bohemia, and M. Herica, Czech, deputy.

Both combatants were wounded in the hands.

The dispute grew out of a debate Thursday last, when Dr. Wolff described Czechs, Slavonians and others as being an "inferior race."

ANOTHER SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

RICHMOND, Va., May 8.—N. W. Nelson, aged 77 years, president of the Metropolitan Bank of Richmond, was found dead in his bathroom this morning with the gas turned on. He had been a great sufferer.

Justice Suits.

Thomas Ward has filed suit against M. E. and Frank Casseuring in Judge Wood's court, in which he seeks to recover $150.

Charles A. Dozier has brought suit against Louis Nordhausen as executor of the late C. C. Nordhausen's will, in which he asks for $150 for medical services. The suit has been brought in Judge Wood's court.

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THE REGENTS' SECRETARY

Oakland Candidates Still Have an Eye on the Place.

A Resolution Which Will Limit the Number of Eligibles.

The Regents of the State University will meet next Tuesday and the election of a secretary is the most important business that will come before them.

There are many applicants for the position but, owing to a resolution adopted by the Board of Regents a few weeks ago, the number of eligibles is extremely small compared with the total number of applicants

Regent Rodgers introduced a resolution requiring that the secretary of the Board must be a practical agriculturist and as there are very few who will answer this requirement, the contest has narrowed down.

Dr. W. C. Bartlett and Principal McChesney of the High School are considered to be strong candidates but under the new ruling neither of these gentlemen can be considered eligible

It is not impossible, however, that the rule may be rescinded, although it is very probable that its introduction was significant of something that will not be learned till the appointment is made.

COURT NEWS

In the suit of Aurelia James and Cornelia E. Booth against the Oakland Bank of Savings and Grant I. Taggart and C. S. Montgomery, executors of the will of Francis Bell, the attorneys this morning settled the bill of exceptions, prior to an appeal to the Supreme Court. The plaintiffs are sisters of the late Frances Bell and the three held a joint bankbook. When death removed one of them, the bank refused to turn over the money to the others and a suit followed.

Judge Ellsworth gave a decision in favor of the executors of the estate, who sought possession of the coin, holding that the other names appearing on the bank-book did not separate it from the deceased's estate.

Gustave Muller of Alameda, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon on Lee John, changed his plea of guilty, to not guilty this morning. The case will be tried on June 2d.

James R. Williams, the self-confessed burglar, was sentenced to two years in San Quentin this morning by Judge Ogden. Attorney Barber appeared for the man and asked the leniency of the court for the prisoner, as he is suffering from a disease, which may cause his death by long confinement.

Williams stole some chickens from a Fruitvale hen roost, in order to obtain money with which to buy medicine. He confessed his guilt shortly after the arrest.

J. A. Haste has sued J. C. Franklin and Joseph A. Leonard to recover an oriental marine engine of twenty horse power, valued at $600 and for $100 damages in retaining it without the plaintiff's consent.

Mrs. Constance Grebe has been appointed guardian of her husband William Charles Grebe, the insane San Leandro cigar maker.

The Auditing Committee of the Non-Partisan party of Alameda composed of Henry Muller, M. W. Simpson, Ed Houster, Frank Hally and H. A. Thompson, has filed its statement of expenses with the County Clerk. It shows that $290 had been received and that $289.75 had been expended.

The Bank Statement.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

NEW YORK, May 8.—The weekly bank statement shows as follows Reserve, decrease, $4,812,650, loans, decrease, $911,600; specie, increase, $240,900, legal tenders, decrease, $6,650 200, deposits, decrease, $6,808,600; circulation, decrease, $329,900. The banks hold $44,095,975 in excess of requirements.

LEVIN

PARIS HOLDS A REQUIEM

Impressive Services Held in Memory of the Victims.

The Day Observed in the Metropolis as One of Great Sorrow.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

PARIS, May 8.—A requiem mass for the repose of the souls of the victims of the fire in the charity bazaar was celebrated at noon today in the Cathedral of Notre Dame.

The square in front of the cathedral was densely packed.

The interior was heavily draped with black relieved by silver embroideries and the main doorway was draped with a huge pall spanning the building, silver edged with ermine and raised on either side by silver loops.

Above the doors were escutcheons with the initials "R. F."

An imposing catafalque covered with flowers erected in front of the choir, contained the remains of the Comtesse de Jalin and Madame Julian.

Conspicuous among the floral tributes were magnificent wreaths sent by the Emperor and Empress of Germany and the Russian colony in Paris.

President Faure occupied a raised platform, and behind were the families of the victims, diplomats and other notabilities.

Mgr. de Lescaille officiated at the mass.

Father Ollivier preached the sermon, taking for his text the words, "Blessed are they who have passed from life doing good"

The majority of the large stores in Paris were closed during the services.

THIRTY-THREE SENTENCES

Fred Kent Goes to Jail Again With a Smiling Face.

The Fate of a Young Man Who Once Had Brilliant Prospects.

One of the most eccentric individuals the Oakland police have ever had to deal with is Fred Kent, better known to the urchins along Broadway as "Trilby," who, for the thirty-third time, was given three days for drunkenness in the Police Court this morning.

"You didn't stay out long," said Judge Allen when Kent arose in the dock to plead guilty.

"No, I didn't," Kent answered.

Then the judge gave him the usual three days. Kent was released after serving five days last Tuesday morning.

He has a strange, pathetic history. He began drinking when quite young and the habit soon had a strong hold upon him When sober he is quite a bright fellow, intelligent and well educated. When drunk he is an idiot. Sometimes he stands on his hands in the middle of the street. Then he will imagine himself a top and wil go spinning around and around till he falls from sheer exhaustion.

When he is serving time in the prison, Kent is always allowed to help Janitor Wilds around the building, his trade being that of house cleaner.

As soon as he gets out of jail he works till he has saved enough to go on a debauch. The next day he is generally in jail.

"The money I earn is my own," he says, "I enjoy getting drunk, and as long as I injure no one else I'm going to do it."

Time was when Kent had a brilliant future before him He was a young law student with a wealthy parent, when the drink habit took hold of him. His landlady, who knew him in better days, and who lives across the street from the prison, on San Pablo avenue, always worries about him when he is away. Each morning she looks out of her window to the bars of the city prison. When Kent is arrested he waves his handkerchief to her through the bars and she knows he is safe for a few days.

Chicago Hogs.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 8.—Hogs, light, $3.80@$4 00, mixed, $3 80@$3.95; heavy, $3 50@$3.92½; rough, $3 50@$3.65; cattle quiet; unchanged; sheep, 3,500, steady, native sheep, $3 50@$4.75; westerns, $3 80@$4.75; lambs, $3 50@$5.40

Chicago Grain.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

CHICAGO, May 8.—Wheat, May, 73-1-8@73¼; July, 72¼; corn, May, and July, 24 7-8; oats, May, 17 1-8; July, 17 5-8, pork, May, $8 60; July, $8.62; lard, May, $4.02; July, $4 05@$4.07; ribs, May and July, $4 67@$4.70

San Francisco Grain

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 8.—Wheat steady. December, $1.26⅝. Cash (spot) $1 35 to $1.37½.

Hill & Egan, grain and commission brokers, 648 Ninth street, Oakland, Telephone 126 Main.

Oakland, May 8, 1897.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July Wheat	70⅞-71⅛	72½	70⅞	72¼
July Corn	24⅝-¾	24⅞-25	24⅝	24⅞
July Pork	8 67	8 70	8 62	8 62

Curb July Wheat 72¼; puts 70⅝, calls 74⅛

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET REPORT

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	115¾	115¾	115⅛	115⅛
Tobacco	70⅝	71	70⅝	71
C. B & Q	74⅝	74⅝	74⅛	74⅛
Chicago Gas	83⅛	83⅛	81⅞	82
E. G Electric	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
Manhattan Con	82	82⅛	82	82⅛
Northwestern	104	104	104	104
Rock Island	63¼	63⅝	63¼	63¼
St. Paul	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝	73½
Western Union	76¼	76⅝	75⅝	76
Jersey Central	77¾	78⅛	77¾	78⅛

LICENSED TO MARRY

John Vincente Starr, Haywards	30
Rosa Joseph Farra, Hayward	18
Frederick Jonh Lea, Oakland	30
Martha Griswold Ludlow, Oakland	22
Brown Gillaspie, San Leandro	29
Mabel Jenkins, Elmhurst	17
Charles Francis Hanning S. F.	22
Teresa Celia Hogan, S. F.	21

HOLOCAUST THREATENED.

Students at the Aztec Exercises Enveloped in Flames.

A Narrow Escape From What at One Time Seemed to Be Cremation.

At the Aztec exercises at Berkeley this afternoon an accident happened, which at once time threatened to cause a stampede and a certain loss of life.

As mentioned elsewhere, the platform on which the exercises were held in Ben Weed amphitheater was covered with cheesecloth.

In the ritual fire was used to symbolize cremation.

The blaze became more intense than had been anticipated and set fire to some of the staging.

It assailed parts of the platform on which some of the participants were standing.

It seemed as if it would so burn the supports as to precipitate those standing above to the ground.

Many of the men jumped in to extinguish the flames, and in doing so, their gownals caught fire.

This caused a shriek of horror among the onlookers, who felt that the symbolized cremation would unfortunately be realized.

Other students rushed to the assistance of their brothers.

Gowns were torn off and it seemed as fast as they were pulled away other gowns also caught fire.

The men worked with courage and presence of mind and finally all the flaming gowns were extinguished.

A man named Page was the most completely enveloped in flames of all those present, and he happily was saved from serious injury by the timely work of his friends.

The exercises were then continued.

The thousands of spectators displayed great good sense and calmness during the ordeal.

LATER.

The fire broke out a second time a short while afterward and the exercises were abruptly stopped. The boys tore up part of the platform and extinguished the blaze.

A PISTOL BESIDE HIM.

The Body of a Dead Man Found Near the Infirmary.

Circumstances Seem to Show That Death Was the Result of Self-Murder.

The body of an unknown man was found on the hill back of the County Infirmary near San Leandro this morning by a friend of Dr. Clark, the superintendent of the Infirmary.

A pistol was found near the body and the case was supposed to be one of suicide.

The man had been dead two or three weeks.

The body was removed to San Leandro, where an inquest will be held at 8.30 o'clock next Wednesday morning.

When the remains were submitted to inspection in the undertaking rooms at the last mentioned place, none of the citizens or residents in the surrounding country were able to identify them

The description of the dead man is somewhat limited, owing to the fact that decomposition had set in. He was 5 feet 10 inches tall and was apparently about 40 or 45 years of age.

He was a dark man and was dressed in a well worn coat of dark worsted, a black diagonal cloth vest, grey striped trousers, new shoes, No 7, black cotton hose and black crochet necktie.

He wore an old slouch hat marked with the tag of Bernstein the hatter In his possession was a two-foot rule and a small pocket rule and a revolver. On the third finger of his left hand he wore an initial gold ring. The initial was "R." and the ring was well worn. There was nothing else to indicate who the man was. His description does not tally with that of any one known to be missing.

Bernstein, the hatter above referred to, when questioned by a reporter for the Tribune this afternoon, was unable to recall selling a hat to any man of the description of the dead man.

WILL NOT BE MOVED.

Wells Fargo & Co. Will Keep an Office in West Oakland.

The West Oakland branch office of Wells, Fargo & Company will not be removed as the Colmpany originally intended.

The West Oakland Improvement

SHORTRIDGE-GASHWILER.

Two Popular San Franciscans Whose Engagement is Announced.

The Marriage Will Occur Ere the Summer Months Are Gone.

The announcement of the engagement of Samuel M. Shortridge and Miss Laura Leigh Gashwiler has just been made.

Both are popular in San Francisco society, and Mr. Shortridge is known throughout the length and breadth of the country as one of the leaders of the California bar.

Miss Gashwiler is a Native Daughter. She was born in San Francisco and received her early education at a convent there. Her father, whose death occurred about ten years ago, was one of the noted mining men of early days, and was engaged in many leading and profitable ventures.

After Miss Gashwiler had graduated from her local training, she went to the seminary of the Ladies of the Sacred Heart in Manhattanville, New York State, and afterwards to the Convent of the Sacred Heart in Paris. Then came a return to San Francisco, where in 1892 she graduated from Miss Lake's school This was followed by another trip to Europe in company with her mother, brother and sister, and two years were spent doing the continent Two years ago the family returned to their San Francisco home, where their social life has been restricted owing to the constant illness of Mrs. Gashwiler

Miss Gashwiler is one of the belles of San Francisco She is a typical American girl, glowing with life and beauty, and to these natural qualifications is added a long list of social and literary accomplishments.

Mr Shortridge is too well known here to need extended comment. He was born in Iowa, his father being the Rev. Elias W. Shortridge and his uncle Abraham C. Shortridge, a celebrity in the educational world. He came to California in his youth and after graduating at the High School, San Jose, passed the examination for a teacher's certificate. He subsequently obtained a principalship in Napa and devoted all his spare time to reading law with such success that he easily graduated from the Hastings Law School when later on he went to San Francisco From that time his success has been phenomenal. A born orator, a profound thinker and a man of ready wit, it did not take him long to forge his way to the front in the legal arena, and he has in the past few years been associated with some of the most notable cases in the State In January, 1893, he formed a partnership with D M Delmas, and since that time has scored many fresh triumphs He has a host of friends this side of the bay, who will be glad to extend congratulations over the happy epoch in his life that is now about to occur.

STARR KING OFFICERS.

A Woman Chosen to Act in the Position of President.

Excellent Reports Are Made of the Work of Last Year.

The Starr King fraternity of the First Unitarian Church held its annual business meeting and election of officers last evening. The reports of the retiring president, B. C. Cuvellier, and the retiring treasurer, Mrs. E. A. Kleugel, were decidedly encouraging, as they showed that the fraternity was entirely free of debt.

The election of officers resulted in a woman being chosen president for the first time in the history of the fraternity's twelve years of existence.

Mrs. Gleason, the new president, is a woman noted not only for charming social qualities, but also for her cleverness, tact and executive ability. The new officers are as follows:

Mrs. R. P. Gleason, president; F. H. Clark, first vice-president; Miss C. P. Lett, second vice-president, Miss Rachel Pope, treasurer, Miss Katherine Cutter, secretary, directors, Frank A. Fletcher, Miss Bertha Shafter, Mrs. Alfred Stebbins, Mrs. E. Kleugel.

Prior to the business meeting John L. Howard read a most interesting paper on roses and their culture.

MARKED AWAY DOWN.

A Rare Chance to Get the Best Crockery at Lowest Prices

A rare opportunity is offered housekeepers to possess themselves of some fine crockery, China and glassware at actual wholesale cost, during the great remnant sale of the Great American Importing Tea Company at its various stores in Oakland and San Francisco

Some of the finest wares are to be disposed of at a great sacrifice. There are jardenieres of antique patterns for 25 cents, Bohemian Chinaware from 3 cents to 95 cents a piece, according to the article, fancy bisque sets, Bohemian glass, genuine Delft China, porcelains of all description and glassware galore In fact every conceivable article for the table or household decoration is to be seen and the prices are ridiculously low, when it is known that the goods are all of standard make.

The headquarters of the company are at 52 Market street, San Francisco, but for Oaklanders the six branch stores are most available. They are located at 1053 Washington street; 131 San Pablo avenue, 917 Broadway; 616 East Twelfth street, 1510 Seventh street; 1355 Park street, Alameda.

MASTICK RECEIVER.

An Appointment Made Against the Protest of the Defendant.

Thomas A. Smith was today appointed receiver of the Mastick property in Alameda, pending a suit to satisfy liens amounting to upward of $12,000. The property involved is Encinal Hall in Alameda, with the stores and offices connected with it. Mrs Mastick has been seriously ill for the past three months and today her attorneys protested against the appointment of a receiver, or in fact against any action until she should be able to attend court. The case was set for trial September 7th.

CHOSEN AUDITOR.

Rod W. Church Is Appointed by the Realty Syndicate.

Rod W. Church was today officially appointed Auditor of the Realty Syndicate. He will assume his duties Monday.

The appointment was made by the Board of Directors through Frank C. Havens, the manager.

Mr. Church's duties will be of a general character with regard to the car lines operated by the syndicate and the lands under control.

He will have considerable outside work to do in his new position, and will handle many of the important projects of the syndicate.

In speaking of the appointment today, Mr. Church said.

"I do not know exactly what the duties of the office involve, but I don't believe my appointment has any particular significance with regard to any change of plans. There is no new scheme of any great importance on foot, to my knowledge."

Mr. Church is ably qualified for the position. He has been a public official for years past, and has fulfilled his trusts in a creditable manner. In political ranks he has always taken a front seat, and as a member of the Republican County Committee aided much in rolling up Alameda county's big majority for McKinley.

Mr. Church is both mathematician and an able manager, and his services will be very valuable to the Realty Syndicate.

A GOOD MAN CHOSEN.

Howard Wright Now Secretary of the California Company.

The Honors He Won at Sacramento Stand Him in Good Stead.

Assemblyman Howard E. Wright of Berkeley has been appointed secretary of the California Title, Insurance & Trust Company. He succeeds Harry D. Lawrie who retires to assume the management of another financial institution in San Francisco.

The selection of Mr. Wright will do much to enhance the popularity of the concern with which he has become allied. The last session of the Legislature in which he acquitted himself with marked honor and distinction won for him a host of friends and also secured for him the unbounded confidence of the business element. He was always to be found on the just side of every cause presented at Sacramento and he proved himself to be a rustler in every way by the splendid manner in which he got the University Bill through the Legislature He is a man of sound sense and judgment and possesses a knack of making warm friends, and what is better, of keeping them. He is idolized at the University on account of the work he did in behalf of that institution and if his election were held over again he would get the solid vote of the college town

In business life, Mr Wright is well known. He was formerly engaged in the underwriting line with H M. Newhall & Company and other prominent houses and made a record that attracted the attention to him that has culminated in his present appointment. He will from now on have an opportunity to thoroughly show the stuff he is made of because the company of which he has become secretary is engaged in a very extensive business. Special attention is to be paid in the future to the operations of the loan and trust department and Mr. Wright will upbuild it in every way possible.

WHEATON RETIRES.

A Gallant General Seeks Rest After Years of Service.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

DENVER, Col., May 8.—At noon today Brigadier and Brevet Major-General Wheaton retired from the army, having reached the age of 63 years of which forty-seven years have been spent in the service

The officers and employes of the department of Colorado assembled at General Wheaton's office and bade him farewell

He made appropriate remarks.

The General goes East tonight

In August he will sail for Europe, where he will remain two years.

Colonel Merriam assumes command until General Otis arrives.

AN ECHO FAR AWAY.

The Adams Case Bobs Up in Syracuse, New York.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 8.—Overton Ward has instituted proceedings against his father-in-law, Waterman C. Bradley, for $100,000 for alienating his wife's affections.

Ward was married to Miss Bradley in 1886.

A year ago it became rumored he had been married to J. Isabella Adams, who was divorced from her husband in California.

A TIGHT GAME.

The Basket Ball Game at Stanford Results in No Score.

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AN AWFUL VERDICT.

The case of R. Lane, accused of burglarizing the Bunker and Collins houses in Alameda, was concluded today in Judge Ogden's court.

The jury retired at noon and at 2 o'clock brought in a verdict of not guilty.

Such a decision was entirely unexpected, as the evidence of Lane's guilt was conclusive.

Judge Ogden seemed greatly displeased, and, in discharging the jury, remarked:

"Gentlemen of the jury, I hope you will never have to reap the rewards of such a verdict."

The prisoner was then taken to the County Jail to await trial for two other charges against him.

The prisoner is an ex-convict, having served a term of seven years in San Quentin for a similar offense.

THE COLEMAN FIRE.

The adjusters of the Milwaukee Mechanics' Insurance Company have been investigating the fire in the Coleman furniture store on Twelfth street, between Broadway and Washington streets. The adjustment will begin Monday. It seems to be the opinion of the adjusters that some youthful firebugs are plying their trade in Oakland. The Coleman fire and the one at the Benefit Bazaar on New Broadway the other night were both evidently caused by incendiaries, who were novices at the business, say the adjusters.

Died.

The death has been reported of Josephine Senelly, aged 65 years, at her home on Fortieth street near San Pablo avenue The cause of death was heart failure.

LIFE IN THE FROZEN NORTH.

The only real, genuine Esquimaux in the United States is the little Miss of Krarer. She is only 40 inches high and weighs 120 pounds. The story of her life is like a fairy tale as she tells it. She sings the native songs and will dress in the native costume. She is an intelligent and agreeable lady withal. Her only appearance in Oakland will be at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium Tuesday evening. Reserved seats 25 cents.

P. Hansen Dead

Peter Hansen, a native of Denmark, aged 50 years who died of paralysis at Sacramento, will be buried in Mountain View Cemetery, this city, tomorrow.

HAMMOCKS!

A hundred kinds, a hundred prices, at Meese's, 1009-1011 Washington st.

Pure spices, 25c per pound at the New York Tea Co., 359 Broadway, near Seventh St. Tel. Black 2662.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in Fine New and Second Hand Furniture, 1059 Broadway.

ADMINISTRATOR'S AUCTION SALE

Of Furniture and Carpets, at No. 518 East 24 th St, Near 11th Ave, on Tuesday, May 11, 1897, at 2 O'clock P. M.

I shall sell the furniture, carpets and personal property of Mrs. Hannah Paine, deceased, including kitchen furniture, pictures, linens, etc., etc.

Terms cash. Sale absolute.

M. MARCUSE, Auctioneer.

PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE

Of Furniture and Carpets, at No. 668 Fourteenth St., Near Castro, Oakland, on Tuesday, May 11, 1897, at 10:30 A. M.

I shall sell without reserve in this ten-room dwelling, the fine carpets and furniture, comprising good body Brussels hall, parlor and bedroom carpets, fine carved oak bedroom suit, walnut bedroom suits, hair top mattresses, wire and curled hair top mattress, odd parlor chairs, oak dining chairs, lounges, sofas, crockery, Fleetwood No. 7 range, patent kitchen table utensils, etc., etc

Terms cash. Sale peremptory.

M. MARCUSE, Auctioneer.

BORN.

CROCKER—In this city, May 6, 1897, to the wife of Heiman Crocker, a son.

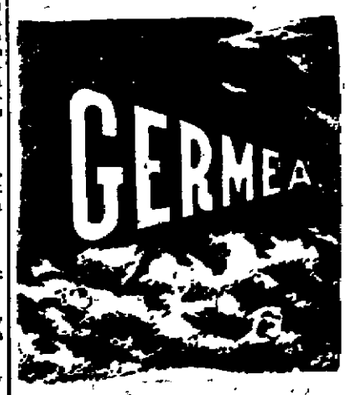
DIED

HILL—In this city, May 6, 1897, James, beloved husband of Sarah A. Hill, a native of New York, aged 79 years, 9 months and 13 days

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral SUNDAY, at 2 o'clock P. M., from the hall of Lyon Post, No. 5, G. A. R., corner of Eleventh and Clay streets. Services under the auspices of Lyon Post, No. 5, G. A. R.

STOLP—In San Francisco, May 7, 1897, to the wife of F. A. Stolp, a daughter (still-born).

GIBBONS—In Alameda, May 7, 1897, Elizabeth M. Gibbons.



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AUTHORS' AND WRITERS' UNION, Chariton, Iowa. Cash prizes; best serial $25. Short story $15. Poem $10. Enclose return postage.

WANTED—Patients for dental student to operate upon under the supervision of a practical dentist, for cost of materials used. Call 9 to 11 A. M. and 4 to 6 P. M., 906 Broadway, room 48.

NO FALLING—The opportunity of using chart in learning to ride a bicycle will close May 1. 929 San Pablo ave.

MRS. MURRAY of New York gives sittings from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. Confidential advice on all business affairs; gives magnetic treatment; especially successful in all cases of rheumatism. 534 Broadway.

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BROOKS & HARGIS, Attorneys-at-Law, Parrott Bldg., San Francisco. Telephone Jessie 601.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices' Court Building, 88 cor. Broadway and Eighth sts.

J. E. BARBER—Attorney, Notary, 906 Broadway; Tel. 1058 Main; State and Federal Courts.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1008½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 966 Broadway.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual Building, entrance 6, fourth floor San Francisco.

TRICK & GOODCELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Blake & Moffitt building, rooms 40-43.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of Ninth street, Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 33.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

GREEN MAJORS, Attorney-at-Law and Notary Public. 1008½ Broadway.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

BNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-law, room 3, district attorney's office, Court House.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law 361 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 554½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE, JR.—Attorney-at-law, 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

RARE CHANCE—Furniture of an eight room house for sale, suitable for roomers; rooms now rented; the rent from roomers will pay the rent of house, leaving three or four rooms for family; cheap. 1001 Webster st.

FOR SALE—A fine, sound black horse, seven years old; weight 1,100 pounds; also covered wagon and harness. Apply Laurel Market, 1121 Thirteenth ave., East Oakland.

SETTING EGGS from thoroughbred light Brahmas for sale; 75c per dozen. Japanese Nursery, cor. 16th and Willow sts., near Sixteenth st. station, Oakland.

COLUMBIA BICYCLE, good as new, for sale or will exchange for diamond. Apply at 909 Fifth ave., East Oakland.

FOR SALE—Good second hand Wilshire Safe. Apply 814 Washington st. F. J. Edwards.

AN ELEGANT NEW PIANO must be sacrificed at once; can be seen at 711 Sixth st., near Castro st., before 11 A. M. and after 4 P. M.

FIREWOOD for sale cheap at the Eighth st. bridge.

INCUBATOR for sale—A 250-egg incubator in perfect condition; is a 90 per cent hatcher; $17.50. A. Muchmore, 1055 Broadway.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Callgraph in perfect condition; price $20 cash. Call at 1519 Twenty-fourth ave., Oakland, between 2 and 4 P. M.

PICTURES FRAMED at 25 per cent reduction; 40 on framed stock; installments or rent; finest and largest stock in town. Wilhelm's Art Store, 539 14th st., bet. Clay and Washington.

SOLID hardwood bedroom sets, $15, $1.25 chairs for 90 cents. Universal ranges for sale, cheapest in town. Golden Gate Furniture Store, 472 and 475 Eighth st., between Broadway and Washington.

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DRESSMAKER WOULD LIKE EN-gagements by day, $1.50. Address 748 Fourteenth street, East Oakland.

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A TENANT wanted for two or three furnished rooms for complete housekeeping, at a reasonable price; sun all day. 1011 Webster st.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; modern improvements; near local trains; also nice flat cheap. Apply 421 Sixth st.

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VICTORIA—Nice sunny suites for light housekeeping, with bath and laundry free, and also single rooms for gentlemen; rent reasonable.

TO LET—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, single or en suite. 718 Eleventh st.

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TO LET—607 Fourteenth st., suit of three well furnished, sunny housekeeping rooms, one block from Metropole and Centennial hotels; no children.

TO LET—Furnished housekeeping rooms, also nice furnished rooms for gentlemen; very reasonable rent. 869 Washington.

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FOR SALE at a bargain, a five room house with lot 50x150 ft.; street work all done; good location and within five minutes' walk from local trains; price $1,200. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 East 12th st., East Oakland.

HOUSES FOR RENT.

HOUSE TO RENT for six months or longer, in the best part of Oakland; low rent to good tenant. 1361 Jackson st.

PIEDMONT—Pretty furnished cottage, 3 rooms. Address 273 6th street.

TO LET—$8; cheapest cottage of four rooms and high basement in central Oakland. See owner this week at 1465 West street.

HALLS TO LET.

GRAND ARMY HALL to let. Apply 1118 Broadway.

OFFICE TO RENT.

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FOR EXCHANGE.

FOR EXCHANGE for Oakland improved or unimproved property, a 60 acre farm with fruits and vines; also house of five rooms and lot 50x100, in Goshen, Tulare county. Apply at once. Benj. W. Ferris, 902 Broadway, Oakland.

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DR. W. E. TAYLOR, Dentist, Central Bank building, rooms 201-204; hours 9-12 and 1-5; Tel. 1381 Red.

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$7,000—Fine bargain; two story residence of nine rooms, on Webster street bet. Fourteenth and Durant; lot 74x160; land alone worth the price. Owner now in New York City. Has instructed us to make an offer. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

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$2,500—New colonial residence, nine rooms and bath; good barn; lot 40x166; situated on beautiful elevated location near Twenty-third avenue; commanding landscape and marine view; house one year old, being sold for the bank; only $250 cash, $25 per month; exceptional opportunity; street work complete; one-half block of electric cars. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

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$3,000—East Oakland; new residence well located, 8 rooms and bath, modern improvements, plate glass windows, etc. Will exchange one-half for nice lot in Fruitvale and take mortgage for difference at low rate of interest. William J. Dingee, 460-462 Eighth st., Oakland.

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FOR SALE—At a bargain; owner retiring from business; a first class butcher shop with large refrigerator and heavy white marble counters; best paying route in Oakland; can be bought dirt cheap. Address P. O. Box 425, Oakland.

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$1,800—New cottage, E. 19th st.; large lot.
$3,000—Seven room cottage and barn, East Oakland.
$2,000—Two story house, five rooms, E. 17th st.
$2,500—Five room modern cottage, near business corner.
$2,500—Five room cottage and stable, large lot, 11th ave.
$6,500—Ten room modern house, adjoining business property.
$1,500—Five room house, 13th ave.; business property.
$1,750—Five room modern cottage, 13th ave.

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$1,000—Clear ranch, 160 acres, Missouri.
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$8,500—166 acres, Ben Lomond; clear.
$18,000—183 acres, near Concord; improved.
$1,250—80 acres, Santa Cruz Mts.; clear.
$2,400—160 acres, Tehama Co.
$1,750—Four acres, improved, near Los Gatos.
$3,500—Fifty acres, orange land, Salermo.
$10,000—725 acres orange, alfalfa and grain and pasture land, plenty of timber, well watered and in irrigation district, good buildings; Yuba Co. five miles from railroad; can be subdivided; this is a great bargain; will be sold or exchanged for Oakland or S. F. property.
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This property lies high and sightly.
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Perfectly level.
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REAL ESTATE.

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FOR SALE.

Modern house, seven rooms and bath; lot 40x115; a bargain; price $2,600; cost $2,250 to build; terms to suit.

Modern cottage, five rooms and bath; corner lot 100x150; worth $3,000; will sell for $2,000; an unequalled chance to get a good home.

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LOST—Pair of gold rimmed eyeglasses with gold chain attached. Return to No. 1325 Jackson st. and receive reward.

LOST—Wednesday afternoon, black ostrich feather boa, one yard long. Finder to be liberally rewarded by leaving same at Smith's drug store, Oakland.

LOST—A gold chain bangle Friday evening, either on Thirteenth st. or Franklin st. Return to 870 Adeline st, and receive reward.

FOUND—On East Twelfth st., between Twelfth and Thirteenth aves., a small bay horse and open top buggy. Owner can get the same by proving property and paying expenses. Constable J. W. Glase, 617 East Twelfth st., East Oakland.

LOST—White fox terrier, black and tan face and ears; name Dandy; liberal reward and no questions asked. Return to 875 Filbert st., cor. Eighth.

LOST—Brown horse about ten years old; crack on left foot. Return to E. Campiun, Piedmont. Reward.

FOUND—Cow; owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses. Call at 627 Magnolia st.

LOST—An overcoat near corner of Cypress and Sixteenth sts. Finder return to 1065 Twelfth and receive reward.

GREAT CHANCE—For sixty days only, you can buy a beautiful lot in the Jones Tract, in the best part of Elmhurst; cement sidewalks; graded streets; city water; very low prices; $5 and $10 per month, without interest or taxes. Every house built on this property rents at once; houses built on easy terms. See owner, A. Jones, Elmhurst, or L. L. M. Salsbury, agent Elmhurst Land Co., 468 Ninth st.

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CRAFT & RUSSELL—Grocers; buy at home and save money. 852-854 East Twelfth street, corner Eleventh avenue. Telephone 1011 Main.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

SCHLITZ MILWAUKEE BEER Depot, C. H. Kucks, proprietor, 468 Twelfth st., Oakland; private entrance for ladies.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance requiring the disinfection and fumigation of residences and other places where contagious diseases have existed.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

Whenever any case of smallpox, diphtheria, scarlatina, Asiatic cholera, tuberculosis or other contagious disease has existed in any building or other place within the city of Oakland, it shall be the duty of the householder or proprietor of such place, or, if such place has ceased to be occupied, then of the owner thereof, to immediately and thoroughly fumigate and disinfect said premises in the manner and to such extent as the Health Department may direct. The fumigation and disinfection to be done at the expense of the city.

SECTION II.

Every person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars, and in case such fine be not paid, then the person so fined shall be imprisoned at the rate of one day for every two dollars of the fine so imposed and remaining unpaid.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Hennesberry, Rowe, Upton and President Pringle—10.

Noes—Mr. Watkinson—1.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 5th, 1897.

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STRAY IDEAS.

Johanna, New York's celebrated dispensaress, is said to be almost as intelligent as a policeman.

A factory at Oshkosh will twist up marsh grass into binding twine, a good deal like the name of that town in twisted.

A Kansas City man advertised recently that he would exchange a breech-loading shot gun for a good cow or typewriter, he didn't care which.

A "spook" which proved to be a fresh young hoodlum in a white robe, was vigorously rapped over the head by two old maids whom he tried to scare at Morrisville, N. Y.

Benjamin Harrison's duties as a professional and family man will prevent him from acting as moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly at Winona this month.

A Lewiston woman died last week who was told twenty-six years ago by numerous physicians that she could live but a short time. Eight of those doctors died before she did.

The arrival at New York of 600 buxom Irish girls, bound for the West, ought to simplify the "help" problem and will give 600 housewives an opportunity to talk about their new servants.

Milton wrote:

Hail bounteous May, that dost inspire
Mirth, youth and warm desire;
Woods and groves are of thy dressing,
Hill and dale doth boast thy blessing.

Some women found fault with Milton because he would not permit his daughters to learn foreign languages. "Oh" he plied, "one language is enough for a woman's tongue."

A Kansas City grain merchant who died a few weeks ago had a pleasant habit of every Christmas of mailing to the makers of them all the protested checks he got stuck on during the year, with his compliments indorsed on the back.

A stranger upon being presented to Speaker Reed asked his weight. "Two hundred pounds," was the reply. "You must weigh more than that," said the candid visitor. "No gentleman ever weighs more than 200 pounds," responded the Speaker solemnly.

SWEET THOUGHTS

Are sweeter when flavored by the pure candies made by Lehnhardt. At Lehnhardt's can be found all the latest novelties in confections. Our candies are made of the purest materials and contain no deleterious substances. Broadway, near Fourteenth.

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TRYING

To sell chemicals for liquor is dangerous fun. Buy drugs at a pharmacy; buy whiskies and wines (pure) at an honest liquor store. There are several such in Oakland. Ours is one of them. Jos. Bequet, N. W. cor. Washington and 12th sts.

HAIR SPECIALIST.

Henry C. Kreuter, 1025 Washington street. Gray, falling, scalp troubles; positive remedies.

BAGS

and Twine at BROWN'S PAPER HOUSE, 417 Tenth street.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

No. 4203.

In the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

It appearing to the satisfaction of said Court by the duly verified petition this day presented and filed by P. F. Benson and E. M. Paterson, the executors of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased, praying for an order of sale of real estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate belonging to the estate of said deceased, to pay the debts outstanding against the said deceased, and the debts, expenses and charges of administration:

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before said Superior Court on Monday, the 14th day of June, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock, A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of said Court, Department No. 4, at the Courthouse in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, then and there to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said executors to sell so much of said real estate as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said Alameda county.

Dated May 7th, 1897.

F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance ordering the opening and widening of East 21st street, between 15th avenue and a line parallel with and 206.5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue, and appointing three Commissioners to have general supervision of the proposed work.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

Whereas, The said Council did, on the 16th day of November, 1896, adopt its Resolution of Intention No. 22,586, declaring its intention to order the following work and improvement to be made, to-wit: That East Twenty-first street, in the city of Oakland, be opened and widened between the western line of Sixteenth avenue and a line parallel with and 206.5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue, describing the work to be done and the land and premises deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and specifying the exterior boundaries of the lands to be affected and benefited by said work and improvement, and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof, and

Whereas, The Street Superintendent of the city of Oakland did thereupon cause notice of the passage of said Resolution to be posted and published for ten days in the manner and as required by law; and

Whereas, More than ten days have elapsed after the expiration of the time of publication of said notice, and no objections have been made or filed to the work therein referred to, and the Council has acquired jurisdiction to order said work to be done; now therefore it is hereby ordered that

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AMUSEMENTS.

Oakland—"Little Lord Fauntleroy."
Oakland Race Track—Races today.
Baldwin—"El Capitan."
Morosco's—"An American Heiress."
Alcazar—"East Lynne."
Tivoli Opera House—"Shamus O'Brien."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.

PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND PARK

May 9th—Picnic and moonlight festival of the United South German Societies of San Francisco.

UNION LABEL

SATURDAY. . . . . MAY 8, 1897

They don't give actresses a chance in China. Women are not allowed to be photographed in that country.

Who wants to lend Spain $60,000,000 for blood money? She wants that sum to continue her campaign in Cuba.

Judging by the wrangles between the attorneys, nearly every witness in the Fair-Craven case gets a cursory examination.

What a retiring disposition the Greeks possess. They are so bashful they won't even go on the same field as the Turks.

Eight additional letter carriers have been granted to Los Angeles, and this should be considered by people who want increased delivery service here, and who transact their postal business in San Francisco.

Idaho has just passed a law that will undoubtedly be declared unconstitutional. It provides that none but citizens, or those who have declared their intention to become citizens, may be employes in the mines.

Wilhelm Oppermann evidently thinks he is a long way from being worth the proverbial weight in gold. He has offered to sell his body to the San Francisco Board of Health for $200. This is only a little over $1 a pound.

There are lots of people who won't believe the following incident which is detailed in the morning's dispatches: "I saw a Turk wounded in the leg advancing to the attack on all fours." If by any chance it is true, it was probably in response to an order to "form fours."

The members of Cleveland's Cabinet were not in it for their health. Olney, Carlisle and Lamont have been rewarded for their services to the bond syndicate by big-salaried positions on Wall street. Cleveland's bank account, by the way, is said to be in the six figures.

The Sacramento Bee looked around for another "thank God" incident. It found it by announcing that it would no longer tell lies about its contemporaries every time they completed a volume. Now every paper in the State is referring to, and commending the Bee's attitude. Shrewd Bee.

The Goulds are having a hard time trying to dodge paying taxes. They moved to Tarrytown in the hope of being leniently treated there, instead of which the assessment they tried to evade has been quadrupled. One thing is certain, they won't get much public sympathy in their hour of distress.

Experience has shown how great is the value to a city of being chosen as the place for a State convention or coast gathering. It brings money, it arouses wide interest and causes the name of the city to be heard on every hand. Oakland should get as many of these gatherings as possible this summer.

The Greeks had better take a few lessons in rifle practice. "Three Turkish soldiers," say today's dispatches, "stood together in advance of their commander while a whole battalion of Greeks fired at them. They did not condescend to stoop or lie down, but fired coolly away until skirmishers came to their help." There was nothing to be gained by moving as long as the Greeks couldn't hit them.

The Stanford professors do not place much faith in the stories that a savant has discovered that crystals contain living organisms. "Such a story could emanate only from an insane asylum," says one of the Palo Alto faculty. "It is incredible and unscientific, and does not merit attention or discussion." At the State University they also ridicule the idea of organic life in crystals though they admit that they grow by the addition of atom to atom.

President McKinley is made of the right kind of stuff. He has refused the petition of an applicant for the consulship at Brussels who urged as a reason for his appointment that he wanted to reside there in order to educate his daughter at a Belgian Seminary. To this McKinley said: "That is not a good reason for his appointment. Consuls are not appointed for any such purpose. Besides there are colleges in this country plenty good enough for American girls."

A Horticultural Commission has been appointed by the Supervisors of San Bernardino County. It consists of a Populist, a Democrat and a Republican. This causes the Santa Ana Blade to remark that as these commissioners are the official bug-exterminators of the county, the Populist will, no doubt, proceed to the task of crushing the gold bugs; the Democrat, if he be of the gold persuasion, will attempt to squelch the silver bugs, while the Republican, as befits, will pose the principle to which he adheres as the chairman of the Committee on Resolutions of humbugs.

OUR LOCAL RESORTS.

The arrival of the summer season and with it the search for outdoor resorts brings to mind the many inducements that are held out on this side of the bay. Probably no other county in the State can offer such a variety of natural attractions as this section presents and it is incumbent on every good citizen to do all in his power to keep them before the public.

Oakland and her immediate vicinity fairly teems with places where the Sunday of rest can be enjoyably and profitably passed. The wooded beauties of Leona Heights, the cool canyons and view-commanding vantage grounds at Blair Park, the glens and groves contiguous to the San Leandro road, the charming rusticity of the host of stopping places on the line of the California & Nevada Road, the stretch of beach with the open air ocean bathing at Alameda, the beauteous promenades in the grounds of the State University, the boating on the estuary and Lake Merritt—these are but a few of the many attractions of which we can boast. Then with a short ride to the interior of the county there are the fishing streams, the delightful camping grounds at Sunol and throughout Niles Canyon, the rugged scenery back of Livermore and the many picturesque nooks in the foothills, nearly all close enough to town to enable business men to travel to and fro on their daily vocations and tapped by good roads for those who can only take a casual visit.

The resident of Alameda county before going abroad to seek other retreats should first avail himself of those within his reach. It is safe to say that fully fifty per cent of the dwellers in Oakland have never visited, say Sunol or Niles Canyon, yet they pack up their belongings for a week or two every year and seek in other counties resorts that cannot compare with those they leave behind. Those who every Saturday evening figure on how they will pass the coming day will find themselves well rewarded if they pass a few Sundays visiting in turn the various resorts in Alameda county to which they have never been. The experience and education will be both profitable and pleasing.

The people of Los Angeles must be born gamblers. The Times says: "Contributions to the unemployed fund are lagging, but a considerable amount of money might doubtless be raised by betting merchants and manufacturers to donate articles which could be raffled, as there are always a number of people who are ready to spend a few dollars when they have a chance of getting something in return, but who are not ready to give money outright for charity."

California is certainly generous toward the State University. Beginning this year it will offer more scholarships for worthy students who cannot gain a college education without financial aid than any other educational institution in America. Munificent as are the provisions made, they are yet inadequate to supply the demand. Sixty scholarships are offered for the coming year, but for these sixty 250 applications have been filed from young men and women all over the State.

Considering the large number of bicycles which are stolen it is surprising to see the carelessness with which people leave their wheels leaning against the curbing without any padlock to prevent a thief from jumping on and riding away.

The City Council of Los Angeles has set a bad example to the employes whom it can retain or dismiss. It has just summarily removed a Police Commissioner because "he was too strict a disciplinarian."

The Greeks have changed their cry. Instead of "Hurrah for War" it is now "Hurrah for Peace."

STARBEAMS.

Princess Chimay says she is yearning for a new and novel sensation. What's the matter with a little whirl at common decorum?

How soon things change around in this world! Corbett, who was fighting to spoil a week or two ago, now pretends to be spoiling for a fight.

It is the high theater hat which has always weakened the feminine movement against the fellow who rushes out between acts to get a drink.

An exalted feminine ideal is reached by the woman who thinks no evil of the most attractive of her own sex, and who has a smile for the most unattractive of men.

It is believed that almost any man from Ohio or Kansas would be happy in the position of Postmaster-General Gary, although he has eight marriageable daughters.

Economy has been described, by a clever writer, as going without something you really want in case you should some day want something which you probably won't want.

A judge at Janesville granted a decree of divorce to a woman whose husband puffed tobacco smoke through the keyhole of a door leading into a room in which her mother lay sick.

Mrs. Lease prophesies that the coming man will be a quadruped. The Kansas prestess who is dabbling in Theosophy is doubtless looking forward to a reincarnation with the precious privilege of leading her husband about with a dog chain.

A bright woman, in speaking of a young man, who was everything he shouldn't be, said: "He was a teetotaler, and he didn't smoke and was always going to concerts. He wore his hair long and his trousers short, and his hat on the back of his head."

A bicycle which is seen frequently on the boulevards in Philadelphia is draped in crepe in honor of the memory of the rider's husband, and the lady herself is in deep mourning, but to all appearances she is very, very happy.

Down in Kentucky a woman had a man arrested on Monday last for kissing her. On Wednesday an Ohio woman sued for a divorce because her husband never kisses her. And that's how about one-half of the world keeps the other half guessing.

Pauline Markham, who broke her leg four years ago in Louisville by falling into an open cellar, has recovered damages from the city in the sum of $6,000. A leg, of course, is worth much more to an actress than to anybody else.

The men theater-goers at Brest think they have solved the high hat question. They carry with them big cushions by which they elevate themselves above the millinery obstructions in front, which is all right, providing there are women with big hats behind them.

A Corner for Woman.

Even the Ladies of Cairo Are Now Wheeling in the Narrow Streets.

No, we do not remember to say nice things to one another, or rather we do not make the effort to say those nice things we are often actually thinking. If the front of Mary's new dress fits well, and we are wishing she would turn so that we could see the back, it is just as simple to say "Oh, Mary, that gown fits you beautifully. Do let me see the back." But in place of doing that, we wait until Mary turns by accident, and then we view the back in silence.

It is not that we mean to be grudging of our praise, nor are we restrained by delicacy, but we just do not think of opening our mouth and unclosing our teeth on the pleasant thought that would give Mary undeniable pleasure. There, no doubt, have been times when you yourself have worn a new gown or made some conspicuous effort of one kind or another, and found a friend utterly silent on the subject—so silent that you thought she had no good thing to say, and so kindly held her tongue, then later (through more thoughtful channels) trickles to you a warm approval that she had spoken behind your back.

Behind-the-back approval is extremely valuable, more so than before the face, of course, but somehow it is never so sweet.

"Flattery?" It is not flattery to speak of a true admiration. It is rather a duty to do so than to refrain. The use of clean, honest praise is not its abuse. It costs more effort to speak pleasant thoughts aloud than to think them in silence and when one feels irritable or tired the effort is greater to thus make one's self very pleasant, but there is no doubt whatever about the duty in the case.

I once saw a father walk up to a map his little boy had made and pinned on the wall. He stood before it a long time in silence and in silence walked away. The little fellow was sitting in the room, and his father knew he was there. He was watching with his eager child's eyes, waiting anxiously for a word of approval. As none came his poor little face fell unhappily. Straight into the next room walked his father, and said, carelessly:

"Robert has drawn a very clever little map in there. Look at it when you go in."

"Did you tell him it was clever?" asked a judicial listener, following from the room where little Robert still sat.

"Why no. I ought to have done so. I never thought to mention it."

"Well, you ought to be ashamed of yourself," was the deserved reply. "Go back now and tell him."

We ought all of us to be ashamed of ourselves a dozen times a day for like sins of omission. It costs so little to say nice things and the result in another's pleasure is out of all proportion to our trouble.

Praise to the face, open disgrace.

No such thing. The proverb is wrong. Praise to the face is one of the sweetest things on earth and there is no disgrace in it unless untruth enters, or unless the praise is undeserved. It is the more grateful because no one may ask for open praise and receive by asking. When it comes thus at call it is not praise. Its fine flavor is quite gone, and it is but flattery.

"We may have died for praise, but never asked it." All we need to do to give proper praise to the face is to think aloud a little more when thinking pleasantly of those with whom we live. In a word, as spoken by an old French lady of fiction, "It costs so little to be pleasant, it does so grease the wheels of life's chariot."—Harper's Bazar.

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There should always be a good supply of pins on a dressing table. Pins used to be a scarce and valuable commodity in the days when ladies had special money given them by their husbands to buy these useful little articles. The word "pin-money" is still used, but it does not express what it formerly did, for now we can purchase pins of all sorts and sizes for a few pence. A little box or tray should contain safety and small pins, both black and white, while a dainty pin-cushion stands handy to receive the bonnet-pins and large-headed pins.

Hairpins should be kept in a small box and it is as well to keep a stock of all sorts and sizes. They have a way of slipping out and getting lost, and it is impossible to dress the hair firmly and comfortably without a sufficient number.

A very useful combination box and pin-cushion may be made out of a cigar box. The inside should be carefully lined with white paper and the outside covered with some material, the top being first padded to form the pin-cushion. In the box may be kept hairpins, hair-nets, etc.

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One of the most novel sights in Cairo this season has been the frequent appearance of the bicycle in the narrow streets of the quaint old city. Ladies in very up-to-date tailor-made costumes preceded by native couriers, have been no uncommon sights in the Cairene streets, and the contrast between the latest fashion in amusements and the ancient houses and narrow ways of the old streets is picturesque and striking in the extreme.

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Queen Olga of Greece, the eldest daughter of the Grand Duke Constantine of Russia was married to the present King of Greece and crowned in 1867. She is a simple, wholesome, sensible woman, the mother of six children and, though the head of a royal household dresses as quietly as the wife of an American merchant. She is a clever artist and amateur photographer.

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There is another kind of asceticism which is nearly as foolish as neglect of food, and which is enforced not by one's own well-guided or misguided judgment, but by external opinion. Almost all men have certain "ways" of living which they have found conducive either to health or work, and a very large section of them suffer greatly from a torrent of criticism for those ways. There are men who never need exercise or, as Mr. Chamberlain says is the case, do much better without it, and if they escape a minatory lecture once a week they are greatly favored by fortune. There are other men, quite numerous, who benefit by exercise in big draughts but not in homeopathic doses, who exert themselves furiously once a week or during an annual holiday, but for the rest of their time benefit most by bodily torpor. They are not scolded because, as a rule, they are considered too far gone for the operation to be beneficial, but they are habitually and very openly disbelieved. They are talking nonsense it is held, on a matter they know nothing about. There are thousands of Englishmen who are never at peace if they are not warm, and are told by all sincere friends that they are killing themselves with "coddling," and tens of thousands who can neither think nor work unless they are cool, and who are pestered by every one who knows them about wraps. We used to lecture one old gentleman ourselves because he would ride on omnibuses, wanting, he said, "full air," and the lectures did not stop when at 84 he was more hale than the lecturer at 45. Modern biographers are particularly impervious to reason on this point. They note at once the smallest departure from the usual in the habits of daily life, as if it were an aberration never thinking that their victim probably knows himself a great deal better than they can know him, or is obeying an instinct as deeply planted and as beneficial as that which induces a dog occasionally to eat grass. There are men, Scotchmen and Scandinavians no doubt mostly, who simply must "get into the cold" for a few weeks every year who thirst for it like a Swiss for mountains, and there are thousands of women who would live to a hundred if they could only have a month a year in a place where they were warm all through. To condemn such instincts as self-indulgence, unless they conflict with clear duties, is foolish.—London Spectator.

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She Grew Worse

instead of better. The top of her head broke out with scrofula. A crust would form on her head and fall off, taking the hair along with it, and this continued for two or three months, when something seemed to tell me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I did so, together with Hood's Pills and Hood's Olive Ointment. Soon

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EDHEM PASHA'S CAREER.

Interesting Facts About the Turkish Commander-in Chief.

His Brother Was a Catholic Priest for Many Years at Constantinople.

Edhem Pacha, the commander of the Turkish army in the present war with Greece has had a most romantic and interesting history. He is not only of Greek origin but also of Christian parentage. However, strange to say, he is an enthusiastic and fanatic Mohammedan and loyal subject to the present Sultan. His change of religion was caused by a number of strange circumstances which occurred in his youth. He was born on the beautiful island of Chio, in the Aegean sea.

This island was famous in ancient history, and is said to have been the birthplace of Homer. It is seven miles from the coast of Asia Minor and is situated on the gulf of Smyrna. It is known for its great productivity, mild climate and natural beauty. For centuries Chio has been under Turkish rule although the largest part of its population is of Greek descent. In the many wars and insurrections for Grecian liberty, the people of this lovely island have always borne the brunt of Turkish cruelty and tyranny. This was especially true in 1822, when the Greeks began a long struggle for freedom.

Edhem Pacha was then a small child. The inhabitants of Chio did not participate in the insurrections which occurred in that year but were following their usual occupations. However, a body of revolutionists came from the island of Samos and landed in Chio. They endeavored to excite the inhabitants to revolution, but met with no success. The Chioites answered that it would be foolish for them to revolt, because the absence of a Greek fleet rendered them almost certain prey to the Sultan's troops on the main land.

The Samians, however, refused to obey and laid siege to the citadel, then occupied by a Turkish garrison. The Turkish soldiers were driven out and the fortress reduced to ashes. Soon after, an army of seven thousand Turks, with a host of fanatical volunteers, landed on the island. For weeks after, the soldiers and the roving hordes of Ottomans slew, pillaged and tortured the inhabitants. In parts of the island the people took refuge in the monasteries, but were pursued and killed by thousands. Even the sick in the hospitals were not spared. Over twenty-three thousand men, women and children were killed, five thousand escaped and forty-seven thousand were sold into slavery and glutted the slave markets of Egypt, Constantinople and Tunis.

Edhem Pacha's parents were among the killed. He was sold to a Turkish general named Khosseo Pacha, who took him to Constantinople. His master, however, gave him his liberty and with a number of boys he was sent to Paris to be educated. He entered the Institute Barbet where he remained for years. He evinced great industry and scholarship and all his teachers predicted for him a great future and brilliant career. After graduating from this school with great honor, he entered a school for mines and four more years were spent in close application and study.

After traveling through France, Germany and Switzerland, he returned to Constantinople and was appointed a captain on the general staff of the Turkish army. In 1859 the Sultan made him his adjutant, and he also became the French instructor of the late Sultan Mured and of the present ruler, Abdul Hamid.

Later on he was intrusted with a number of important political missions. In 1856 he became a member of the Council of State and was then appointed Minister of the Interior, but resigned his portfolio after a year. In 1867 he became Minister of Foreign Affairs and subsequently represented his country at Berlin. In 1877 upon the banishment of Midhet Pacha he became Grand Vizier, which position he filled with great ability. In 1897 he was Ambassador to Vienna and from 1883 to 1885 he was again Minister of the Interior.

Edhem Pacha has always shown great hatred towards foreigners and against Christians. At the Peace Conference at the end of the Russian-Turkish war in 1877 he was the last of the Turkish ministers to give his consent to the final settlement of hostilities. He had always been an enthusiastic Turkish Chauvinist. He is a zealous member of the Young Turkish party which has proclaimed the doctrine of the greatness of Islam and Turkey for the Turks.

It is interesting to note that Edhem Pacha's brother was for many years a Catholic priest in the city of Constantinople. He died a few years ago.

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THE SPORTS OF THE DAY.

A Number of Events Which Will Entertain Tomorrow.

Shooting and Riding A-Wheel by the Reliance Athletes.

The return game of the Reliance and Heeseman baseball clubs tomorrow afternoon promises to be one of the most exciting of the season. Chas. Doyle will pitch for the Reliance and Frank Russell will do likewise for the Heesemans.

Last Sunday a large crowd attended the opening of the new park on the sea shore and it is expected that tomorrow's attendance will even be greater.

The following is the line-up of the Heesemans: Lanageran, second base; Stutt, first base; Smith, third base; Larsen, short-stop; Russell, pitcher; Peters, catcher; Breed, left field; Borland, center field; Keating, right field.

AT THE TRAPS.

The monthly shoot of the Reliance Gun Club will be held at Alameda Point tomorrow. There will be four interesting matches. The first for a pool and the last for merchandise. The Heeseman cup will also be contested for.

THE ROAD RACE.

The five-mile handicap race of the Reliance club wheelmen will start at 10 o'clock tomorrow afternoon over the San Leandro-Haywards course. The entries, numbers and handicaps are as follows:

No. 1, E. J. Lefevre, 2:00; 2, W. Lehner, 2:00; 3, C. Nunan, 2:00; 4, T. Hayselden, 1:45; 5, J. Keating, 1:45; 6, C. Lefevre, 1:45; 7, C. A. Lowe, 1:45; 8, R. C. Staats, 1:45; 9, B. Burrell, 1:30; 10, G. Gross, 1:30; 11, O. B. Marston, 1:30; 12, P. Hayselden, 1:15; 13, G. Lehner, 1:15; 14, C. S. Myrick, 1:15; 15, W. J. Poole, 1:15; 16, W. Plumb, 1:00; 17, E. Williams, 1:00; 18, J. S. Brereton, 0:30; 19, J. J. Borree, 0:30; 20, P. H. Rosenheim, 0:30; 21, A. P. Deacon, scratch; 22, C. D. Gooch, scratch; 23, P. R. Mott, scratch.

The officials are: Referee, E. B. Jerome; judges, J. R. Neylan, W. E. Griffith, A. P. Swain, and R. T. McKissick. Timers, P. H. Carlton, G. P. Wetmore, G. H. Strong, G. H. Stratton, and H. A. Hadenfeldt. Scorers, R. A. Ruin, Jr., H. H. Price and G. Williamson. Starter, C. S. Myrick. Marshals, J. Jellett and M. Jellett.

VELODROME RACES.

At the bicycle races to be held at the Velodrome track, a number of Oakland riders will contest. B. H. Elford of the Reliance Club, will be in the first heat of the two-thirds of a mile professional, A. M. Boyden will be in the third heat and the two Oaklanders hope to line up in the finals. The two will also contest in the two mile professional post race.

In the one mile amateur handicap, Percy R. Mott, Reliance; A. T. Smith, East Oakland Wheelmen and H. W. Squires, Acme, will ride.

THE TRIP POSTPONED.

The proposed run of the Acme Wheelmen, to Pleasanton, has been postponed from tomorrow until Sunday, May 16th.

RACQUET WIELDERS.

The Oakland High School boys commenced their tournament on the Madison street courts yesterday afternoon and today the championship matches are being played. The chief event will be the singles between Ed Spencer and Rich Nicholson, for first place.

THE CHURCH AFLOAT

Oakland to Be Honored by Men on the Morning Star.

DEPARTURE OF C. S. LEWIS.

A Return to His Old Post on the Flying Gospel Ship.

LETTERS FROM DR. C. R. BROWN.

Subjects Which Will Attract Public Attention on the Morrow.

When the missionary ship, Morning Star leaves Oakland next month, she will carry with her two officers who are well known in Oakland. Her captain will be Isaiah W. Bray, who was formerly secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in this city and her chief engineer will be Charles S. Lewis, at present sexton of the First Congregational Church.

There is an interesting story in this connection. Ten years ago these gentlemen occupied the respective positions they are to occupy in June. Mr. Lewis was chief engineer for one cruise only. When the Morning Star left Honolulu on that cruise it had for passengers a missionary physician and his daughter who were bound for the South Seas.

On the anniversary of the day that the daughter of the missionary physician first set her foot on the deck of the Morning Star, she became the wife of the then chief engineer, Charles S. Lewis.

It was because of his wife's aversion to the sea that Mr. Lewis left the Morning Star.

Mr. Lewis brought his young wife to San Francisco and engaged in following his trade, that of a first-class machinist.

After three years the family came to Oakland and Mr. Lewis accepted his present position in the First Congregational Church. His trade and his genius as a mechanic have made him almost essential to the welfare of the church and it was very reluctantly that the society authorities granted him a year's leave of absence which he now embraces and which enables him to accept the position on the Morning Star, which he formerly filled with satisfaction and ability.

Mr. Lewis has had many strange experiences at sea, but he has never been ship wrecked. Once, however, while he was aboard the crew of the Morning Star was compelled to pump ship for forty-eight hours before putting back into Honolulu. That circumstance was due to running aground.

Mrs. Lewis is at present in Honolulu with her father, who is practicing medicine in that city. The father is becoming old and his health is failing and Mr. Lewis desires his wife to be with her father as much as possible in his declining years.

Who will take Mr. Lewis' place during his absence has not yet been decided by the trustees of the First Congregational Church.

There are three or four applicants for the position.

Mr. Lewis leaves at the earnest solicitation of his friends. His health has suffered lately through constant devotion to his duties, and he was persuaded to take the much needed recreation. It was urged that he could serve the Master on board the Morning Star and, at the same time, gain the necessary recuperation.

The present Morning Star is a steamer barkentine, and was launched at Bath, Me., on August 7, 1884. In 1891 she came to San Francisco and was refitted, since which time she has plied back and forth over her perilous beat without having undergone more than a temporary overhauling. She makes her headquarters at Honolulu, and completes one trip a year, which lasts ten months and takes her in turn to all the islands of the south seas on which missionaries are laboring. These missionaries receive their mail only once a year, that being when the Morning Star comes around. She is a vessel of about 1,000 tons, and besides her commander carries two mates, two engineers, cook, steward and eight men before the mast. It costs $15,000 to $20,000 a year to keep her running.

The Alameda Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip has had under consideration for some time the question of issuing a call for a convention of Christian men, to consider men's work in the churches. A call has finally been given for such a convention. It is to be held in the First Presbyterian Church of this city at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon, May 17th. It will close at 9:15 o'clock that evening. To make the convention a thorough success, all the Evangelical churches have been invited to participate.

Weekly letters are received from the Rev. Dr. C. R. Brown by the First Congregational Church. He was last heard from in Jerusalem, but is likely in Germany by this time. The letters are read each Wednesday evening in the prayer meetings of the church and contain much matter of interest to the church-goer, and the public at large.

Dr. Brown is the pastor of the First Congregational Church. He was granted a leave of absence to visit the Holy land several months ago and since his departure the pulpit has been filled by Rev. Dr. J. K. McLean, who had been pastor of the church for over twenty-five years.

Dr. Brown in his letters expresses himself as taking great enjoyment in his tour. He and his wife have visited all the places of interest in the Holy land, and he hopes to return within the next month.

There will be a quarterly meeting of the Alameda County parishoners of the Episcopal Church on Ascension day, May 27th, at the Church of the Advent, East Oakland.

Rev. C. M. Hill, pastor of the Tenth-avenue Baptist Church, and the Rev. S. S. Palmer, pastor of the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, both of East Oakland, have gone East to attend the commencement exercises of their respective theological seminaries and to take part in the national gatherings of their church organizations, the former at Pittsburg, Pa., and the latter at Winona, Ind.

For several years at intervals Rev. Father Lawrence Serda of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Doub, junior warden; Webb N. Pearce, treasurer; Dr. Bakervell, president, say delegates to the conference to be held on the 19th inst. at St. Luke's Church, San Francisco, Messrs. D. Y. Campbell, D. M. Doub, J. Mathieu, H. M. Sanborn, R. H. Stokes.

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Rev. E. E. Hamand, pastor of the First Universalit Church leaves today for Pomona, to be present at the annual session of the Universalist State Convention.

Rev. Elmer J. Felt, of Tacoma, president of the National Young People's Christian Union, (Universalist) was in Oakland Wednesday, the guest of Mrs. A. M. Bradley.

Swedish Mission Church—Filbert, between Seventh and Eighth. C. A. Nelson, pastor. Services 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sunday School and Bible class, 10 A. M. Morning subject, "Our Eternal Inheritage;" evening theme, "Lion in the Way." Everybody welcome.

First Baptist Church—C. H. Hobart, pastor. Services at 11 and 7:30. Morning subject, "Worth From the Worthless." In the evening the Gospel Wagon Work will be presented by Rev. H. E. Adams and others. This unique method of evangelizing California is attracting great attention. About twelve Gospel Wagons will be sent to the mountains for a summer campaign, a number being already out and at work.

Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran Church—Corner Twelfth and Myrtle streets, will celebrate a double jubilee. In the morning at 10:45 o'clock, the fiftieth anniversary of the organization of the Synod, to which the congregation belongs and in the evening at 7:45 the fifteenth anniversary of its own existence will be commemorated. In the morning the pastor, Rev. J. H. Theiss, being installed in this congregation on the 7th of May, 1882, will preach. In the evening Rev. J. M. Buehler of San Francisco, the pastor and others will speak. All are invited.

Tenth avenue Baptist Church—Rev. Dr. Sunderland will preach at 11 A. M. Rev. Mr. Moody of Alameda in the evening at 7:30 o'clock.

First Congregational Church—Morning service 11 o'clock. Rev. J. K. McLean, D. D., will preach the second sermon in the Review-Conception series. Subject, "Christ's Full Grown Man." Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Rev. S. M. Freeland, formerly acting pastor, will preach. Subject, "A Warning and the Reasons Therefor."

Chester street Methodist Episcopal Church—George W. Beatty, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by the pastor. Sunday School 12:30; Epworth League, 6:30 P. M.

First Methodist Episcopal Church—The pastor, Dr. Kummer, will preach at 11 A. M., the sermon for boys, postponed from last Sunday morning, "If I Were a Boy." A special invitation given to boys. At 7:30 P. M. Rev. A. W. Holt will give his lecture entitled "Iniquity Enthroned."

Capt. R. Cary Brento will preach at watchers' meeting at Gospel Mission Tent, Broadway and Fourteenth street, May 9th at 3 P. M.

First Universalist Church—Rev. E. E. Hamand, pastor. Service at 11 o'clock. In the absence of the pastor from the city, the pulpit will be supplied by Miss L. N. Shaw. Sermon topic, "The Falling of the Blossoms."

Central Christian Church—Edwards Davis, minister. Morning service, 10:45; subject to be selected. Evening service, 7:30. Dr. Thomas Boyer, the Chicago evangelist, will deliver his lecture, "The Place and Power of the Dark Ages in the History of the Church."

First English Lutheran Church—The pastor, Dr. Bushnell, will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, Pentecostal Preparation for Our Church Convention;" evening, "Prayer for Daily Bread." All welcome. Pews free.

First Free Baptist Church—On Twenty-first street, between Brush street and San Pablo avenue. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The pastor, Rev. Philip Graif, will preach in the morning on "The Greatest Thing to Know and Do." Reception of new members after the sermon. Evening topic, "The Best Recipe for a Long and Happy Life."

Theosophical Society. Lecture by Julius Oettl, "Where to See a Mahatma," at the Theosophical Library, Hamilton Hall, at 7:30 P. M.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Rev. Robt. F. Coyle, D. D., pastor. Rev. John Rea, assistant and Sunday School Superintendent. At 11 o'clock, the pastor will preach on "My Father's at the Helm," and at 7:30 P. M. on "Turk and Greek."

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Loring Hall, Eleventh and Clay streets, Sunday 11 A. M. Friday at reading room, Twelfth and Jefferson streets at 7:30 P. M.

Oakland Psychical Society. Fraternal Hall, Washington street. In the afternoon Mme. Montague will answer questions under inspiration and give psychometrical readings. Sunday evening inspirational lecture by Mrs. Lillie; inspiring songs by Mr. Lillie.

Divine service. Services in Gier's Hall, 511 Fourteenth street at 3 P. M. Discourse by Mrs. J. R. Wilson.

First Christian Church, Odd Fellows' Hall, Eleventh and Franklin street. Rev. Dr. Glen McWilliams will preach morning and evening—at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "The Road to Prosperity and How to Find It." Evening subject, "What Is a Christian Citizen." Sunday School at 12:15 P. M. Young People's meeting 6:15 P. M.

Eighth Avenue M. E. Church. S. J. Carroll, pastor. Preaching by the pastor P. M. No collection. Dr. A. P. Truesdell pastor.

Market Street Congregational Church. A. M., "The Prophecies concerning Tyre and Their Fulfilments In History." P. M., "Life's Mission." Rev W. H. Atkinson will preach morning and evening.

Asbury M. E. Church, South, corner of Clay and Fifteenth streets. Preaching 11 A. M. by the pastor, "Saints or Sinners?" 7:30 P. M., by Rev. J. Clarke Robbins, pastor Congregational Church, Berkeley. Subject: "Ideals."

First Unitarian Church. Rev. A. L. Cowell will preach at 11 o'clock. No evening service.

Union Street Presbyterian Church. H. D. Brassefield. Divine services 11 A. M. Ordination and installation of Elders. Sermon by Dr. Curry 7:30 P. M. People's service by the pastor.

Thirty-fourth Street Methodist. 11 A. M. Rev. J. D. Hammond D. D. will preach, and assist the pastor in administering the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. 7:30 P. M., sermon by the pastor, Rev. G. H. Jones, "Bethel; an Ordinary Place Made Sacred; a Covenant Making Time."

At the Church of The Advent, corner of East Sixteenth street and Twelfth avenue. Rev. V. Marshall Law Rector. Morning service at 11 o'clock and sermon on "Robbers." Evening prayer at 7:30 and sermon "To the Boys."

Fruitvale Presbyterian Church, Fruitvale. Rev. E. E. Clark pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. E. F. Fish of Oakland will occupy the pulpit morning and evening.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

J. Athearn Folger is spending a few days at San Rafael.

Mrs. W. E. Sharon and family will spend the summer at Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dahlstrom (the latter was formerly Rosa May) arrived in London May 3d, and are staying at the Hotel Cecil.

The engagement is announced of Miss Mary Thomas, the daughter of Mayor Thomas, to Howard Badger. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mrs. Gordon Stolp entertained the Cosmos Club Tuesday.

Mrs. F. M. Smith will give a party next Saturday at Arbor Villa in honor of her three young daughters.

The Sunday School of the Second Congregational Church will hold a picnic next Saturday.

Miss Mary E. Walker, a teacher in the school department, will spend her vacation in the Hawaiian Islands, leaving on the 18th of May.

Miss Sadie Hale will entertain a number of Oaklanders at her home at San Quentin May 21st.

F. M. Smith sailed from New York City on the steamer St. Paul for Europe last Wednesday.

Miss Paula Rued has issued invitations for a tea next week.

Madame Camilla Urso will be the guest of honor at the Ebell luncheon Tuesday.

Mrs. R. C. Craft and Miss Mabel Craft have returned from Los Angeles and Santa Barbara.

Miss Ray Frank will lecture in Stockton on the 12th inst. on "Nature, the Supreme Teacher." Miss Frank is a very clever speaker and is a favorite with Stockton audiences.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moffitt have gone to Del Monte, where they will spend a week or two.

Misses Eva and Emma Knight are at present in New York. They will spend some time at Brooklyn before returning to California.

J. P. Taylor, president of the Oakland Board of Trade, left for his native home, Scotland, Tuesday evening. He will be absent several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker, Miss Irene Baker and E. Leffingwell reached Honolulu on the 27th. According to accounts, they are delighted with the islands and are having a charming time. The trip was a rough one, and every one was seasick all the way across. Miss Ida Belle Palmer had met the party. A luncheon was given in their honor on board the U. S. S. Philadelphia.

The Abraham Lincoln Club will celebrate the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill with a picnic at Glenwood, in the Santa Cruz mountains, the 17th of June.

MISS WILLIAMS' OPENING.

Spring millinery opening March 18th, 19th and 20th. Miss Williams, 1162 Broadway.

NAUGHTY NATIVE DAUGHTERS.

They walked the tight rope, so the Saunterer says in this week's Town Talk, and did other startling things at an entertainment. Of course man—base creature that he is—was entirely excluded from the audience, and maybe they didn't have a good time! "Woman In Her Variety" is also discussed in Town Talk, and an illustrated article which will be of especial interest to the theatrical fraternity, tells all about the banquet of those jolly people, the Elks, in the dedication of their new San Francisco lodge room. Town Talk has a whole budget of chatty news in the Saunterer department which handles all sorts of subjects, from weddings to around the town jokes. Read them, these stories. They are worth your while.

MUSIC AT HAYWARDS.

The Programme for the Afternoon in the Grove on Sunday.

McCoy's band will play at Haywards Park tomorrow afternoon, when the following programme will be rendered:

March, Ben Hur Chariot Race, Sousa.
Medley overture, A Good Thing, Beyer.
Song for trombones, Down in the Deep Cellar, Fisher, performed by Messrs. Beretta and Laughland.
Overture, Laneboni der Garde, Titl.
Waltz, Jolly Fellows, Vollstedt.
Intermezzo, Forget-Me-Not, Macbeth.
Mexican polka, La Tipica, Curti.
March, Battery Park, Thayer.
Overture, Light Cavalry, Suppe.
Scenes Coonesque, On the Plantation, Puerner.
Song for cornet, Serenade, Schubert, Grand selection, Faust, Gounod.
Waltz, Santiago, Corbin.
Two step, Darktown Gal, Johnstone

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Christian Endeavorers Talk Over the Coming Convention.

Enlarged Delegations Are Promised From a Number of Places.

The Alameda County Christian Endeavorers held their first '97 Convention rally last evening at the First Presbyterian Church. A large number of people was present and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed.

The praise service was conducted by the county president, G. P. Lovell. The united choir, led by A. M. Benham, gave their first public rehearsal.

Rolla V. Watt, chairman of the General '97 Committee of San Francisco, spoke of the failure to secure the convention in '95 owing to the disorganization of the railway association. But this summer Endeavorers could come from Chicago for $25 and would return, he hoped, greatly benefited in every way.

J. V. Webster, vice chairman of the General '97 Committee, dwelt upon the support of Alameda County Endeavorers in securing the big convention. He explained how the crowd would be provided for during the meetings in San Francisco. Mechanics' pavilion, accommodating 9,000, will be the headquarters. Woodward's pavilion will be used and will hold 7,000.

The chairman of the press committee, George B. Littlefield, announced that he had received word that the Pennsylvania delegation had been increased from 300 to over 600, and this increase was due to advertising.

Dr. R. F. Coyle spoke very earnestly of the need of practical consecration.

HILL'S OBSEQUIES.

The funeral of the late James Hill, the aged watchman of the City Hall, will be held at Loring Hall, at Eleventh and Clay streets, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock under the auspices of Lyon Post, G. A. R. That organization will attend in a body.

The deceased has arranged all the details in regard to his funeral with Henry Evers, Jr., the undertaker, he having realized that his days were numbered. Only two days before his death he had asked Mr. Evers to see that the Exempt Firemen attended the funeral in full dress. Chief Fair will detail a squad of firemen to attend the services.

County Warrants.

The old system of issuing warrants to county claimants, has been done away with by the new law and now the demands are paid on the presentation of the claim blanks, properly endorsed. After these have been audited by the Supervisors and examined by the county expert, they are signed by the chairman and then become demands on the treasury. The Auditor next handles the claim before it goes to the Treasurer for judgment.

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It seems to me that I cannot remember two pleasanter weeks in many moons. The last fortnight has been so jolly with an infinitude of pleasant teas and other affairs, that we have had no time to be dull and the time has passed as pleasantly as possible.

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Several pretty teas occurred in honor of Mrs. Norman Lang, nee Nellie McKee, who came down from the north and was welcomed by a host of old associates. To my mind Nellie McKee was not only the flower of the flock, but one of Oakland's prettiest girls. She is quite as nice looking as always. Mrs. Orestes Pierce gave a tea in her honor on the 28th, and Mrs. George McNear Jr, was the hostess at a charming pink tea where Mrs. Lang was the petted guest of honor on Friday of last week. The color was chosen because of Mrs Lang's fondness for it, and its fondness for her, as well.

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On Saturday, Mrs. William A. Magee bade 350 people to her Fruitvale home and gave them an opportunity to meet the infinitely charming Mme. Camilla Urso, the noted violinist. Mrs. Magee's house was charmingly decorated. The parlors were in bamboo and ferns, with white syringa flowers, the hall in yellow and the dining room in sweet peas. The porch was enclosed with canvas and shaded with bamboos and greens. Inside the tent-like space, a mandolin club made music

Mrs. Magee invited a bevy of agreeable women to assist her in receiving, among them Mrs Thomas Magee Jr., Mrs. Edson Adams, Mrs. George McNear Jr., Mrs. H. M. A. Miller, Mrs George Greenwood, Mrs Mark Requa, Mrs. Oscar Fitzalan Long, Mrs. Seward McNear, Miss E. W Churchill, Mrs. Valentine G. Hush, the Misses Hush, Mis Ella Goodall, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Ethel Cohen and Miss Mae Tucker.

Mme. Urso was very attractive in a changeable gown of purple and magenta, and Mrs. Hush was really stunning in purple and white Mrs Magee was organdie and the Misses Hush were in fresh dimities—one red and one lavender.

After the tea, supper was served for the receiving party The afternoon will long be remembered by the long list of guests To each one Mme Urso had something pleasantly individual to say.

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At the series of teas, Mrs. Watkinson and Mrs. George McNear Jr poured tea. It is a pleasing and becoming occupation. No woman is ever more graceful or womanly than when dawdling with the tea cups

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By the way, can you guess who is winning the name of matchmaker, par excellence in Oakland? She has more little schemes in her head Most of them never come true but she does not despair. She keeps saying, If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

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On Wednesday evening the officers of the Presidio gave a dinner and dance in the mess room in honor of Lieutenant Bent and Miss Ethel Cohen, who are to be married in June The men were all officers and the young lady guests included Miss Cohen's four bridesmaids, maid of honor and four other young ladies—all San Francisco girls, for she has chosen no attendants from this side of the bay It was a very pretty and military affair.

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On Saturday noon, there was a christening at the Goodfellow home. There were twenty-five guests and Mrs. Davenport acted as godmother.

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The week has been made memorable by the annual Huntington dinner and next week there are to be three more—all big affairs. The railroad people, always more fortunate than common mortals, are being well and generously entertained.

The Huntington dinner was the best planned and altogether the most delightful of that remarkable annual series they have given. Mrs Huntington who is really an artist designed it—decorations, table, menu, music and all. The big horseshoe table was set in the picture gallery and some 130 guests sat at it. Isaac L. Requa had the place of honor. Other Oaklanders were J. J. Valentine, who sat next to Mr. Requa, A. A. Moore and E. E. Wade. And by the way, there was a special boat and train for these three gentlemen at 2:30 A. M. What do you think of that?

The decorations were steamboats and locomotives of flowers and during the dinner and afterwards there was music by a subdued brass band and the Knickerbocker Male Quartette. Few hostesses could plan as successful and charming a dinner as this of Mrs. Huntington.

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ington and the other magnates of the steel rails.

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On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Kruttschnitt will give a very swell dinner and on Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs C. P. Huntington will entertain at dinner the young married couples among their friends.

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Mrs Watt was very prominent at the sale held in the First Congregational Church and which was, by the way, very successful The Ebell rose show was also rather nice, though it did not elicit any great show of enthusiasm.

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For many the week was saddened, indeed the whole community felt a regret over our own little tragedy of the lake. Of course, it was not to be compared with the big Paris pall that fell over Europe, still little things near are as big as remote catastrophes The little boys who were drowned in the lake were very dear to many people and the funerals on Monday were very sad. Mrs. Hall, I hear, is still very ill, and has scarcely recognized any one since she fell in a death-like swoon upon being told that her son was dead. They tried to break it to her gently, but the news came with crushing force Several parties were postponed because of the calamity.

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Mrs Charles Webb Howard has returned to Oakland and gives her first entertainment tonight—in honor of her son Karl.

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Mr and Mrs Howard Bray have left on a trip to the mines.

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Mr. and Mrs John Jay Baumgartner are living in their newly-fitted cottage on Thirteenth avenue. They omitted the wedding journey and went to housekeeping at once.

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Both nights of minstrelsy at the Macdonough saw crowded houses. The performance was extremely good, and everyone seemed to enjoy it immensely. Among those I noticed in the audience were Mrs. Folger, Athearn Folger, Mr and Mrs Fred Stratton, Mr and Mrs. Charles D. Pierce, the latter quite recovered from her illness by the way; Frank C. Jordan, Al Moore, Frank Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Craft.

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Mr. and Mrs Gilbert L. Curtiss have been entertaining Mrs. Stephen Sill, formerly of San Diego. A few friends were entertained on Tuesday evening in Mrs Sill's honor.

Charles H. King, the capitalist, is in King County on business.

Miss Barker entertained the Club of Twenty-one on Tuesday evening. A variety of games made the evening pass pleasantly.

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On Saturday afternoon, May 1st, a delightful musicale was given by the William F. Zech Quartette at the residence of Prof. and Mrs. Otto Blankart, 1319 Tenth avenue, East Oakland. The music began promptly at 3 o'clock, and the affair was delightful, socially as well as artistically.

The pretty house was crowded and the programme was as follows

String Quartette, No. 8 op D Major ....Haydn
Allegro Moderato, Adagio, Cantabile, Menuett, Finale.
String Quartette, G minor..Volkman
Allegro Con Spirito, Andante, Scherzo, Andantino, Allegro Energico.
Pino Quintette, op 44......R. Schumann
Allegro Brilliante, In Modo duna Marcia, Scherzo, Allegro ma non Troppo.
Miss Belle Chamberlain, planiste.

The Zech Quartette is composed of: First violin, Wm. F. Zech; second violin, Frank Hess; viola, Otto Blankart; violincelo, L. Von Der Mehden, Jr.

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On Friday evening, April 30th, a scene recital was given by Helen Higby and Richard Milliken, assisted by Mrs. Ernestine Palmer, vocalist, at the First Unitarian Church. The programme was extremely interesting, and the large audience enthusiastic. The numbers included Alfred de Musset's Comedy, "A Door is Either Shut or Open," and Aldrich's Comedy, "An Oak in a Storm," also scenes by Oscar Wilde and Professor L. Dupont Syles.

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The week has been a gay one in Berkeley—University minstrels, class day celebrations today, a farewell affair at Prof. Moses' charming bungalow and a farewell reception yesterday to the graduating class, which is by the way, simply huge, at Prexy Kelogg's.

Some of the class day fraternal receptions will be very swell affairs. The D. K E's expect to entertain 400 at luncheon, and the Chi Phi's 200. All the other frats have open house. The class of '92 will have a class reunion at the California Hotel this evening and the Alumni Association a banquet. This is the active work in college circles.

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J. C. Martin is a grandfather now. A little daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin Thursday and of course all the Martin family are rejoicing over the tiny morsel of pink and white flesh. Mrs. Harold Martin was formerly Miss Hattie Colegrove and a charming girl.

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A very pretty wedding was that of Miss Rossiter and John Drum on the 23th. The church wedding was very pretty and the affair at the house as charming as any I ever saw. The bridal table was all in white and green—immense green bows and lilies of the valley in their own green leaves. There were green candles and shades and the whole was as cool and delightful as an April wedding well could be. The bride was pretty and the bridesmaids' gowns very fetching indeed. Miss Cassie Drum of Oakland looked particularly pretty. The maids wore organdies with belt and chokers of spring green and their hats were perfect flower gardens—nodding with roses. James D. Phelan of San Francisco was among the guests and made one of his felicitous speeches. When the summer comes, if there is a summer I'll be forced to be brief, for there'll be naught to write about.

Meanwhile I'm everybody's friend.

THE MEDDLER.

THE CLAY LUNCHEON.

Miss Annie Clay of Fruitvale gave a luncheon Thursday complimentary to the Misses Glide, who are the guests of Miss Stephenson. The decorations were of roses and were very pretty. Among the guests were the Misses Glide, Sadie and Margaret Sinclair, Alice Stephenson, Jean and Florence Hush, Josie Chabot, Florence Sharon.

AT MILLS COLLEGE.

An entertainment of exceptional merit was furnished at the rhetoricals held at Mills' College last evening. Much talent was evidenced in the performance of the young ladies who compose the class in oratory under Miss Anna Gertrude Taggart.

The first part of the programme opened with a recitation by Lucile Eleanor Neigf, entitled "The Day of Judgment," by Elizabeth Stewart Phelps "Mr. Travers' First Hunt," by Richard Harding Davis, was excellently rendered by Anna Hewfton Three of Eugene Field's little gems of poetry, "Seein' Things," "Sometime," and "Baked Beans and Culture," were excellently given by Amelia Spicer Hall. "The Crucial Test," by Lott Crein, was rendered with much feeling by Angeline Claire Switzer The humor of "Sullivan Crow's Christmas Pocket," by Ruth McE. Stuart, was well brought out by Lucie Muriel Oliver "A Sisterly Scheme" by H C. Brunner, was very prettily rendered by Lillian Gano Smith. "Napoleon's Overthrow" by Victor Hugo, was done justice to by Elna Miller, while Eleanor G. Ellen very charmingly recited "The Same Old Story" by Ellen Elmey Kirk.

ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATE.

The seventy-eighth anniversary of Odd Fellowship in America was celebrated last Monday by Berkeley Lodge No. 270 I. O. O. F. at Odd Fellows' Hall, Berkeley, Past Grand W. B. Chase and Noble Grand P. Geirrine delivered addresses. The following programme was also rendered.

Flute solo, S Sargentich; vocal solo, Mrs. Maud Revalk, piano solo, Miss Bernice Sherratt; recitation, A. H. Broad, mandolin and guitar duet, E. J. Toeper and M. Korans, vocal solo, Miss Lydia Sturtevant.

The affair was under the charge of G. R. Noack, J. W. Striker, B. P. Bull, H. N. Rowell, P. G. Woods, C. A Geirrine George Stricker, G A. Schuster, F. B Thompson, G. Mohr, N. T. Kerns, I. A. Boynton, Rod Cameron, E. J. Pullen F. J. Ryus, J. E. Streightif, R. Gregg, J. Chapple and J. Spencer.

THE MAGEE RECEPTION.

Mrs. William Magee's reception to Mme. Camillia Urso last Saturday was one of the most brilliant affairs of the week. It was a very large affair and included all of the Oakland society set and many from across the bay.

Mrs. Magee was assisted in receiving by Mrs. V. G Hush, Mrs. H. M. A. Miller, Mrs. Tom Magee, Mrs. George F. McNear Jr., Mrs Edson Adams, Mrs George Greenwood, Mrs Seward McNear, Miss Ella Goodall, Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Ethel Cohen, Miss Maie Tucker, Jean and Florence Hush.

Mrs Magee wore an exquisite organdie gown over pink silk. Mrs. Hush was gowned in dark blue silk. Mrs. H. M A. Miller wore a gown of yellow satin trimmed with Duchesse lace. Mrs. Seward McNear was exquisitely gowned in white satin. Mrs. Mark Requa was dressed in gendarme blue silk.

Mrs. Edson Adams, Misses Jean and Florence Hush and Miss Churchill presided at the tables Among the many present were: Mrs. George Wheaton, Mrs Robert Watt, Miss Janet Watt, Mrs. Sumner Bugbee, Mrs. Pedar Sather, Mrs R. G. Brown, Miss Florinne Brown, Misses Wilcox, Mrs. J H. T. Watkinson, Mrs. M. W. Kales, Mrs. C C. Clay, Mrs. E H. Chabot, Mrs, H. K Belden, Mrs Hoadley, Mrs. T L Barker, Miss Mamie Barker, Miss Annie Clay, Miss Alice Stephenson, Miss Sharon, Miss Sadie Sinclair, Miss Josephine Chabot, Miss May Burnham, Mrs A A Moore, Mrs. F M Smith, Mrs. Augustus Bray, Mrs Derby, Mrs. Adams, Alice Ames, Mrs Denman, May Denman, Mrs. Hogg, Mrs. Davenport, Mrs Van Sicklen, Mrs. Wetherbee, Mrs. Wellman Mrs Marwedel, May Vrooman, Bessie Palmer, Bee Vrooman, Grace Gorrill, Harrie Kittredge, Grace Baldwin, Jane Rawlings, Mrs. Pope, Mrs W. E Sharon, Mrs. Sam Breck, Mrs. Shepard, Mrs. Craven, Miss Evelyn Shepard.

EBELL SOCIETY.

Mrs George H. Ripley gave an interesting lecture at the Ebell rooms this week on "The Color Blue in Pottery and Porcelain." Mrs. W. H. Friend's and Mrs F. B. Ginn's collection of old china was displayed.

Among the many visitors who brought old china, or who were deeply interested were Mrs Warring Wilkinson, Miss Maud Wilkinson, Mrs Thos. Prather, Mrs Potter, Mrs William High, Mrs. Wallace Everson, Mrs Geo. W. Percy, Mrs F B Ginn Mrs A. B. Nye, Miss Alice Herrick, Mrs Joan R. Glascock, Mrs. Burdick Miss Rickoff, Mrs Cornwall, Miss Babson Mrs John F. Conners, Mrs William H Friend.

THE PIERCE RECEPTION.

A very enjoyable affair was the reception given by Mrs. W Frank Pierce Wednesday to members of Oak Leaf Chapter, O E S. Mrs Pierce was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. Donnelly, Mrs. Walters, Miss Macdonald, Miss Clara Patterson.

The parlors were decorated with exquisite taste, roses and sweet peas being the flowers used The ceiling was one canopy of green, formed by sweetpea vines, artistically arranged.

Cards were played during the evening. The winner of the first ladies' prize was Miss Naismith, while Webb N. Pearce outstripped the gentlemen in the contest for the first gentlemen's prize. H D. Rowe and Mrs Partridge were awarded the booby prizes

Among those present were: Mr and Mrs. G B. Daniels, Mr and Mrs. H. D Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smilie Mr and Mrs A K. Clark, Mrs Lillie Baker, Mrs Albert Brown, Mrs. Geo Cummins, Mrs Donnelly, Mr and Mrs J. S Emery, Mr and Mrs P M Fisher, Mrs A. Haelke, Mrs Emma Halsey, Mrs. M A. Lare, Miss Esther Macdonald, Mr Macdonald, Mrs Mather, Dr. and Mrs. Mayon, Mr and Mrs J. W. McClymonds Miss Jennie Naismith, Mrs Mary E. Partridge, George Partridge Miss Clara Partridge Mr. and Mrs Charles L. Pierce, Miss Mabel Pierce, Mrs Potter, Mrs. Rand, Mrs. M E Richardson, Mrs D. E. Rutherford, Mrs. J M Sabin, Mrs E. M. Walsh, Mrs. Cynthia Walters, Mrs. Weymouth, Mr and Mrs. Bliss, all of Oak Leaf Chapter.

Miss Kate S. Willatts, grand secretary; Miss Susan Willatts, Mrs Currion, Mrs. Giberson, Mrs. Malgrev, Miss Malgrev, all of San Francisco, were also among the guests.

THE SANFORD LUNCHEON.

Mrs. O. M. Sanford gave a charming luncheon Wednesday in honor of her cousin, Mrs. Lennox H. Barnes.

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Another guest, Sarah Charlton, is an Englishwoman who bears the distinction of being born on the same day as Queen Victoria. She was married the day before Queen Victoria's marriage was celebrated, and, although separated by a long distance from her native land, she still takes a keen interest in the affairs of Merrie England.

Mrs. S. L. Ely, an old school friend of Mrs. Barnes, was another guest at the luncheon.

THE HOWARD DINNER.

Karl Howard gives a stag dinner in honor of Gallette Burgess this evening. All the contributors to the merry little "Lark" will be present and in costumes They will represent famous literary personages The dinner promises to be a very gay and brilliant affair.

AN ARMY AFFAIR.

An elegant dinner was given Thursday at the Assembly Hall of the Presidio by the officers of the mess room in honor of Lieutenant Ben and his prospective bride, Miss Ethel Cohen, of Alameda. The enjoyable affair was managed by Lieutenant Palmer in a very successful way

The long table had been spread in the upper part of the Assembly Hall, partitioned off for the occasion with flags and bunting. The table was artistically decorated with roses and forget-me-nots, and magnificent banquet lamps shed their soft light over the festive scene The hall proper presented a somewhat martial appearance, with shining arms adorning the walls and placed in stacks at the corners.

The guests were received in the mess room, where flowers had been lavishly usd to brighten the scene. Mrs. Berkheimer and Dr White, president of the officers mess, greeted the guests. Dinner was served at 7.30 and was followed by dancing.

The guests were: Miss Ethel Cohen, Miss Emma Butler, Mrs Gibbons, Miss Kate Salisbury, Miss Mamie McNutt, Miss Kip, Miss Bernice Drown, Miss Marjorie Young, Miss Pratt, Miss Berkheimer, Miss Voorheis, Lieutenant Bent, Dr. Edie, Lieutenant Croxton, Lieutenant Noble, Lieutenant Carson, Lieutenant Rutherford, Lieutenant Gardner, Lieutenant Boyd, Lieutenant Nolan Lieutenant Kilburn and Lieutenant Hains.

A BERKELEY DANCE.

The alumni of the Berkeley, High School will give a reception and dance to the members of the graduating class next Tuesday evening The committee in charge of the affair are Miss Grace Henley, '94; Raleigh Whitcomb, '94; Miss Jeanette Hobson '94, William E Sauer, '95, Miss Stella West '96; Ray Simonds, '96.

The officers of the Alumni Association, recently elected, are: President, Roy E Dickerson, '96, vice-president, William Nieman, '96; secretary, Miss Grace Henley, '94; treasurer, Richard Hazeltine, '96.

YOSEMITE COUNCIL.

Yosemite Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., gave a smoker Tuesday evening at Fraternal Hall, Alameda. H. L. Zimmerman made a brief address of welcome and McMeekin's orchestra played. A. G. Burns, E. P Fish, D S. Stanley also participated in the programme. A cake walk was a brilliant feature of the evening.

A BUTTERCUP TEA

A buttercup tea was given Wednesday afternoon and evening by the young ladies of Carleta Chapter, O. E. S., at the residence of Mrs. Spreckels, 1807 Railroad avenue, Alameda. The affair proved thoroughly enjoyable.

THE BARKER PARTY.

Miss Mary Barker was the hostess at Tuesday's meeting of the Club of Twenty-one. As it was the last meeting of the year, the arrangements were more elaborate than usual and young men were invited. The Club met in the evening instead of in the afternoon The Baker home were exquisitely decorated. The drawing rooms were fragrant with the perfume of La France roses and the fresh, sweet oder of pink hawthorne blossoms. Innumerable lamps, shaded in pink, cast a soft radius over the scene The hall was brilliant with masses of red geraniums, while the library was daintily decorated with Banksia roses. The dining room was prettily decorated with snow balls and here and there clusters of pink geraniums. Palms formed an attractive feature throughout the house.

The guests were composed of the club members or their substitutes and several young men. Whist was played during the evening. Miss Stephenson and Miss Joliffe carried off the prizes among the girls and Eugene Peck and Lawson Adams of San Francisco were the successful masculine contestants.

Partners of cards were formed by selecting flowers of various hues. The score cards were dainty devises, surmounted by Miss Barker's monogram and enscrolled with a branch of Chinese lanterns lettered "May 4, 1897."

An elaborate supper was served during the evening at small tete-a-tete tables.

The members of the club who were present were Misses Mona and Laura Crellin, Ella Sterrett, Louisa Simmons, Holt, Kittredge, Knight, Converse, Alice and Lucy Moffitt, Ritter, Strong, Starr, McElrath, Johffee, Drum, Barker.

Among the young men invited were Messrs Mein, Parcells, Bernard Miller, Doane, Al Moore, Joe Moore, Will and Norris English, Pheby, Henry, Eugene Peck, Lawson Adams, Paul Miller and others.

CLUB OF THIRTEEN

The Club of Thirteen was delightfully entertained by Miss Mary Whitney Thursday afternoon. The programme was a surprise to the club members who were not led to believe that anything out of the ordinary would be given. As it was Kendreck Bang's deliciously funny farce, "The Bicyclers"

Mrs. Whitney assisted by Mrs. Ritter. Dainty refreshments were served during the afternoon.

CLASS DAY GUESTS.

Several of the University fraternities kept open house today as it was the annual class day celebration. Among the guests who took luncheon as guests of the Xi Phi fraternity were Miss Mattie Livermore, and Miss Hutchinson of this city. The Zeta Psi, the Beta Theta Pi's, the Delta Kappa Epsilons, the Fryers and other fraternities were among the hosts of the day.

CAHN—TOBRINER.

Miss Estello Cahn and I. Tobriner, were married at the home of Mrs. Cahn, 722 Tenth street, Sunday. It was a pretty home wedding with masses of flowers forming exquisite decorations. Pink carnations gave color to the green back ground. The Rev. Levi of San Francisco, an old friend of the Cahn family performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Friedlander. The bride, who is a handsome demi-blonde, wore a travelling gown of grey cloth with point lace bodice. The hat was trimmed with gray plumes and pink roses. The wedding supper was served on small tables prettily decorated The home of Mr. and Mrs. Schleuter which adjoins that of the Cahn residence was also thrown open for the wedding festivities, a covered passage way being erected between the two.

The young couple received many and handsome presents. They will spend their honeymoon at Del Monte and Santa Cruz. Their future home will be at 116 Devisadero street, San Francisco.

The wedding guests were as follows. Mrs. Fanny Kahn, Henry Kahn, Mrs. T Lachman and son of Reno, Mrs. Tobriner, Miss Adelle Tobriner, Miss Haidee Tobriner, Miss Essie Tobriner, Dr. Oscar Tobriner, Miss Eugenie Harris, Sam Harris, Miss Lyons, Rev and Mrs. M. S Levi, Rev. Dr. Friedlander, Mrs. Ida Tobriner, Miss Alice Tobriner, Misses Della, Hattie, and Flora Tobriner, Mrs Julia Prescott, Mr and Mrs Goldstein, Miss Beatrice Badt, Miss Lily Weil, Mr. and Mrs Max Schleuter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Block, Leopold Block, Mr. Marion Tobriner, Miss Rose Harris, Mr. and Mrs. J Greenhood, Mr. and Mrs M. Cohn, Bert Lissner, Isreal Block, Mrs. Lena Rafael, Mr. and Mrs. S. Myson, Sol and Al Rafael, Ik and Melvin Tobriner, Mr and Mrs. M. E. Frank, Mr. Henry Harris, Harry and Leonard Frank.

UNITY CLUB DANCE.

A delightful affair was the dance given by the Unity Club at Reed Hall, Tuesday evening. There was a large number present and it was one of the most enjoyable events of the week.

Those of the Unity Club who then entertained their friends were: Mrs. Clayton Adsit, Miss Louise Amerman, Miss Margaret Hamilton, Miss Blanche Perkins, Miss Rachel Pope, Miss Bessie Shearer, Miss Marguerite Warner, Miss Winnifred Warner. Miss Augusta Zable, Messrs, Andrews, Dibert, Farwell, Percy Kall, Walter Wilcox, Fred Winter.

The club members present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Gleason, Mr. and Mrs. D B. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Fiske Ray, Miss Phoebe Smith, Miss Dibert, Miss Mary Bliss, Miss Katharine Potter, Miss Alice Tripp, Miss Phoebe Vyse, Miss Bertha Bartling, Miss Mary Fletcher, Miss Lucy Fletcher, Miss Grace Burrell, Miss Pamelia Foster, Miss Georgia Cope, Benjamin J. Smith, Edmond Renshaw, Jesse Dibert, David A. Cords, Charles Lowrey, Richard Milliken, B. R. Banning, Frank Fletcher, Charles Wiedershein, Rene Cuvellier, John Howell, T. C. Chase, George Evans, Fred Evans

The non-members present were Phil Dibert, Mr. Seth Talcott, Beach Dean, Ray Howell, Edward Anthony, H. L. Cunningham, G. Cunningham, R. C. Thompson, F Girard, C. Rowell, R. W. Simonds, R S. Kitchener, Will Standeford, Charles Fryer, George C Gage, Trefethen, Ernest Victors, Charles Dutton, William Knowles, George E. Jackson, Millard Wadleigh, Fritz Catton, C. Sunderland, Lowell Hardy, Ralph Emery, C A Jackson, Miss Mabel Reed, Miss Maysie Otie, Miss Florence Mayhew, Miss Mamie Wallace, Miss Edith Morris, Miss Amy White, the Misses Burnham of Stockton, Miss Ethel Gage, Miss Bessie Gage, Miss Mabel T. Gage, Miss Daisy Fitzmaurice, Miss Evelyn Gove, Miss Osburn, Miss Stephens, Miss Sophie Sohst, Miss Winchell, Miss Mabel Holmes, Miss Addie Dowdle, Miss Mabel Moore, Miss Mila Lally, Miss Dolman, Miss Edith Feinberg, Mrs. Veitch, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Reed, Mrs. Mayhew, Mrs White, Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. Osborn, Mrs. N. W. Palmer, Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. E. M. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. B. Elliott, Miss Frost.

A DANCING PARTY.

The East Oakland Whist Club gave a highly enjoyable dance Tuesday evening in Washington Hall, to which all the substitutes and friends of the club were invited, this being the final party of the season The decorations comprising combinations of different flowers, were elaborate and beautiful The music was exceptionally good.

Among those present were Mr and Mrs Mayhew, Miss Minna Hopp, Mr. and Mrs Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Vandercook, Dr. and Mrs. Proctor, Miss Blankart, Miss M. Blankart, Miss Allen, Messrs. Chick, Hamilton, Hawkhurst, Miss L McDonald, Miss Hawkhurst, Miss L Williams, Miss Daly, Dr. Allen and others

A PLEASANT AFFAIR.

A very successful entertainment was given Thursday evening by the First Baptist Sunday School for the benefit of the library. The programme was under the charge of Miss Rosa Rosling and proved eminently successful in its several features.

The opening number was a violin solo, by Miss C. Barbe, then a recitation, "The Rose Act," by Miss Marietta Higgins in the character of Josiah Allen's Wife. "The Goose Children" was then presented, the following children participating Julia Mead as Mother Goose, Minnie Duchran, as Bo-Peep, Charlotte Thomas as Jill; Elizabeth Kent as Miss Muffet, Arthur Mead, as Jack, Roy Corrigan, as Boy Blue; Thomas Kent, as Simple Simon, Eddie Johnson, as Jack Horner, and the "Man in the Moon" himself. R. Bokee gave a vocal solo, "The Tempest" (Perkins), and Miss Mamie Luchsinger a humorous recitation, "The Obstructive Hat in the Pit."

The second part of the programme opened with a vocal solo by Thomas E. Kent, "Yoeman's Wedding Song" (Poniatowski.) The Oakland Mandolin and Guitar Club rendered "La Palma."

"The Queen of Beauty" was presented by Emily Nor, as Goddess of the Beautiful; Mabel Pool, as Dawn; Helen Lamott, as Day; Hazel Roberts, as Twilight; Bertha Bouterious, as Night, Vera Blesdal, as Sea, Mabel Roberts, as Forest, Helen Edson, as Flowers; Beth Russel, as a little child. "Pickaninny Dance," (Fowler) by the Oakland Mandolin and Guitar Club, concluded the long and delightful entertainment.

CHARITY SALE.

A combination of graceful branches of green arranged in groups or with their delicate leaves and sprays outlined against the stained glass of the

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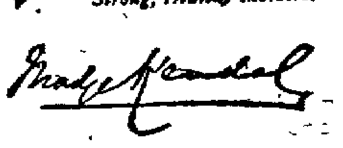

parlors of the First Congregational Church.

In the center of the main room was the flower booth, where many beautiful bouquets of roses spread fragrance throughout the room. Miss Goodall presided here, assisted by Misses Janet Watt, Sessions, and Cottier, and, in the evening, also by Misses Watt, Gray, Chabot, and Coleman. The young ladies in their light gowns, formed a charming center piece among the flowers.

The lemonade table in one corner of the room had for its hebe, Mrs. George Perkins. The tea room was on the left side of the main parlor and proved a great attraction.

Long branches of fruit blossoms, roses and other flowers made it beautiful and home-like.

Mrs. J. H. T. Watkinson made a very graceful hostess. Her assistants were: Misses Whitney, Myra Prather, Sinclair, Kittredge, Holt, Sterritt, Simmons, Brown, Wilcox and Mrs. Edson Adams.

In the evening, Misses Herrick, McKee, and Mhoon also lent their services.

Mrs. H. P Livermore, in old-fashioned costume, presided over the array of articles for sale in the old-fashioned kitchen. She was assisted by Misses Mary Whitney and Louise De Fremery.

The picture gallery had been very cleverly arranged, only the works of the most celebrated masters being displayed, i. e. in title. The idea of "Can't Be Beat," was well carried out by a common Irish potato, and "A Fool's Reflection" was made perfectly clear by a mirror. The young ladies in charge were Misses I. M. Carmany and Florence Carmany.

The fine arts room was presided over by Miss Rankin. The display was made by her and Mr. Wilson. Some very old China, English, Minton, Wedgewood, and even one or two specimens of old American China were exhibited, also very rare old lace, and a necklace which was worn at the coronation of King George the Fourth. A skirt, embroidered with the wings of over 2,000 beetles worked in, which came from India about forty years ago, was exceedingly beautiful, and won much admiration from the ladies.

Mrs. Robert Watt presided over the sale of the very choice recipes, none of which can be duplicated. Three of these placed at sale for twenty-five cents have cost the ladies five dollars apiece.

During the afternoon, Miss Schultz sang several solos in a delightful manner Rubenstein's "Thou Art Like a Flower," a Danish song, "Farewell, Farewell, Little Greta," and "Ay" were rendered charmingly by the singer. Miss Schultz also recited. In the evening Mrs. Blake-Alverson, Mrs. Betty of Berkeley and a mandolin club from San Francisco entertained the visitors.

Among the ladies present in the afternoon were Mrs. Kales and her mother, Mrs R. G. Brown, Mrs. Percy, Mrs. F. E. Brown, Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mrs. Michaels, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Ginn, Mrs. Morris, Miss Morgan, Mrs. Hoadley.

The sale was for the benefit of the Girls' Sewing Class and a Boys' Club which is contemplated by the ladies in connected with the West Oakland Kindergarten. The officers are: Mrs. Robert Watt, Mrs. M. D. Hyde, Mrs. E. Bishop, Mrs. Henry Morris, Mrs. J. W. Shanklin, Mrs. Irving Colby, Mrs Geo. D. Gray, Mrs. H. K. Belden, Mrs. A. C. Henry, Mrs. William Armes, Mrs. John L Howard, Mrs. W. G. Palmanteer, Mrs. E. C. Sessions, Mrs E. W. Randall, Mrs. Henry Martin, Miss Violet Whitney.

STUDENTS AS ACTORS.

An excellent musical and literary recital was given at California College last evening by a number of the students. The affair drew a large audience. The numbers on the programme were excellently presented, the scenes from "The Rivals" being particularly good.

Miss Magdalene Blankart made a delightful Mrs Malaprop and Samuel Langford was a clever Sir Anthony Absolute. The musical portions of the programme were excellent and the recitations were well given. The programme was as follows.

Our Honored Dead.................... Henry Ward Beecher
Charles Garth.
An Old Sweetheart ....James Whitcomb Riley
Sadie Pullen.
The Torn Letter........C. M A. Bayliff
Mrs Marchmont..Magdalene Blankart.
Veronica Varnish........Eda Blankart.
The Celestial Army..T. Buchanan Read
Winifred Sanders.
Vocal solo . . . . . . Miss Morse
Quartette, mandolins and guitars—
Dichter und Bauer.........Suppe
Anna Pagenkopf, Helen Richardson, Lucy M. France, Sydney Richardson.
Macbeth—Act 1, scene 7; act 2, scene 1 and 2............Shakespeare
Macbeth .... Donald Macrae
Lady Macbeth..........Maud Lutts.
The New Lochinvar .....Will Carleton
Hattie Bromley.
Address at Gettysburg ... .
.........Abraham Lincoln
George E. Sanders.
Mazurka...... ....Chopin
Miss Morey.
Scenes from "The Rivals"..........
.... Richard Brinsley Sheridan
Mrs Malaprop....Magdalene Blankart
Miss Lydia Languish...Hattie Bromley
Lucy.............. ..Lillia B. Farmer
Sir Anthony Absolute Samuel Langford
Capt. Jack Absolute .George E. Sanders

THE SHARON RECEPTION.

One of the largest events of the week socially was the reception given by Miss Florence Sharon at her home, 1402 Franklin street. It was a very brilliant affair and attracted many of the younger set.

The house was exquisitely decorated with masses of roses Miss Sadie Hale had sent from her home at San Quentin a box containing over a thousand roses. La France roses mingled with the smallest white roses in the hangings of the drawing room. Baskets of the flowers were suspended in the archways. The hall was daintily trimmed with pink and white hawthorne and loose clusters of sweet peas. The library was arranged as a quaint Japanese room. The favors from past cotillions occupied a prominent position. From a large Japanese parasol were suspended several small parasols, the favors at the recent cotillion given by the Theta Chi Fraternity, and these were filled with fragrant roses. The dining room was exquisitely beautiful with gorgeous red Jacqueminot roses.

The rooms were crowded with guests during the afternoon. Miss Sharon was assisted in receiving her guests by Misses Jean and Florence Hush, Jean Howard, Grace Baldwin, Marietta Havens, Pauline Fore, Sarah Whitney, Pauline and Anita Lohse, Bessie Palmer, Beatrice Vrooman, Gertrude Allen, Chrissie Taft, Claire Converse, Harriet Kittredge, Grace Gorrill, Abbie Clift, Kate Chabot, May Sharon of San Francisco, Jennie Crellin, Florence Walker, Blanche Sharon, Merle Morrison.

Miss Sharon looked extremely beautiful in a gown of pink figured organdie over pink silk. The long sleeves were shirred and the point lace yoke was finished with stock collar of pink satin. Miss Havens wore a dainty gown of pink tulle edged with black satin. Miss Pauline Fore was prettily gowned in pale blue organdie.

During the afternoon a pleasant informal programme was enjoyed. The Misses Hush played and sang. Misses Newell and King also played. Otto Wedemeyer sang a delightful solo, and Miss Clay and Miss Goodcell recited very charmingly. Mr. Parcells sang, and Miss Byler's sweet contralto was also heard. Miss Sharon sang some delightful songs and Miss Pauline Fore gave a pretty letter-song.

The young ladies who assisted in receiving remained in the evening, when a small dance was given.

The list of invited guests for the reception included Misses Edythe Adams, Martha Alexander, Gertrude Allen, Carrie Ayers, Irene Baker, Grace Baldwin, Helen Bell, Romola Bigelow, Agnes Borland, Alma and Ada Brown, Alma Boegle, Susie Bradley, Lucie Byler, Alice Conklin, Hattie Currier, Urma and Laura Crelin, Hazel Curtiss, Gail Converse, Clay, Coffin, Margaret Cole, Margaret Collier, Anna Coyle, Carrie Coyt, Jeanette and Gladys Deal, Ruth Dunham, Sue de Fremery, Florence and Ethel Dean, Etta Edwards of San Francisco, Maggie Ennis, Elizabeth Ebey, Lilia Evans, Genevieve and Ione Fore, Charlotte Field, the Misses Gage, Misses Edith Gaskill, Helen Garthwaite, Grace Gorrill, Bessie Graham, Emma Greenwood, Gregory, Rita Marries, Sadie Hale, Sue Holcomb, Hattie Hirschberg, Maud Howard, Grace and Ida Hampton, Amy Jones, Grace Holt, Mabel Jordan, Edith Kelly, Mamie Kent, Elizabeth Kinsey, Harriet and Ethel Kittredge, Margaret Knight, Rita Kennedy, Joliffe, Livermore, Little, Leigh, Lawler, Olive Middleton, Elsie Marwedel, Alice Moffitt, Florence McCoy, Marie Musser, Bertha

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SPRING MILLINERY OPENING.

Mrs. Nellie Laymance begs to announce to her friends and patrons that she will display on next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 18th, 19th and 20th, at her millinery parlors, 965 Broadway, a full line of French pattern hats and spring novelties, to which the ladies of Oakland are cordially invited.

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LOCATING OF THE CAPITAL.

Opposition to the Selection of the Site at Washington.

An interesting and instructive lecture was given last evening by Judge W. W Morrow of the United States District Court in the Pilgrim Congregational Church. The lecture was preceded by a duet by Mrs. A. A. Dewing and Harry Melvin, entitled, "Would That We Two Where Maying." For an encore, they rendered "Wanderer's Night Song," by Rubenstein.

The subject of the lecture was "The Federal Government." As the Judge explained, it was not so much a discussion of the government in its different phases as showing picture of it.

"You are well acquainted," he continued, "with your local government, but the Federal Government is afar off. It rests like an inverted saucer over the country. The relationship between the local and Federal Government is ill defined, still the latter is visible in some places.

A PROBLEM SOLVED.

The most remarkable feature of the world's history today is our government. The difficult problem to solve before its foundation was how to procure the largest concert of action on the part of the greatest number of people. This problem we solved."

The speaker then spoke briefly on the history of republican government. He showed the durability of this form of government, citing for example the San Mareno republic, situated on the top of the Apennines. This was the oldest republic in the world, yet its population was only 6,000, its area, thirty-two square miles. The republic of Van Dora in the Pyrenees, dating from the year 300, had a population of 8,000. Switzerland, with twenty-two counties and a population of 3,000,000 was founded during the Reformation period. The Netherlands was only as large as the county of San Diego.

"What does this show?" the speaker resumed. "Simply that all republics are confined to small areas. This was the theory of Montesquieu."

A FEDERATION.

But then, our republic must be something more than a mere republic. It is a federation of republics.

Some say a republican federation cannot last. The Achaian League of ancient Greece went down before the hordes from Asia. The spirit of republican federation lay dormant in that country for 2,000 years But it has reappeared, and today it is struggling for life and continuation against the Turks It may again go down, and I think probably it will, but I know that the spirit will arise and in the end triumph over the oppressor and crush the intruding monster to the dust."

The speaker then dwelt at some length on the origin of our government, citing different authorities claiming some that it was a copy of the English Constitution, others that it come from Holland or was borrowed in some way from other European nations. "But," said the Judge, "our government is a growth on this soil. We are indebted to our own people alone for its development. Its growth began within twenty years after the landing of the Pilgrims. In 1639, the colony of Connecticut, incorporated in its constitution the idea that all true government rests on the consent of the governed. This constitution was called the fundamental orders of the Colony of Connecticut. This was the first written constitution in the world.

NEW ENGLAND FEDERATION.

In 1643, the New England Confederation was formed, comprising Massachusetts Bay Colony, Plymouth, New Haven, and Connecticut. There was a general Congress, having two members from each colony. The only qualification necessary for a Member of Congress was that he should be a member of the church.

"In 1690 a different federation was formed of five colonies. In 1764 seven colonies united at the Albany Congress. In 1765 there was the Stamp Act Congress, which developed in 1774 into the Continental Congress. On June 22, 1783, Elbridge Gerry of New Jersey proposed that the capital of the country be definitely located. It had been situated at New York, Annapolis, Philadelphia, Lancaster and York, Pennsylvania. After an act of diplomacy on the part of Hamilton and Jefferson a tract of ten square miles on the Potomac was set aside and on that our Federal Government holds sway.

"The situation chosen for the seat of the National Government was denounced by the press and by the public in general, as being too far West. It lay 105 miles west of the Atlantic Ocean. It was hoped by the most sanguine that some day it might become the center of the nation But there was doubt as to the probability of such a marvelous growth. But it has grown, and so has our Federal Government, not by a happy accident, but the product of our own efforts, and as such it shall forever stand on the broad platform of right and justice!

A number of very fine dissolving views were shown by J. W. Erwin, and briefly commented on by Judge Morrow. The public buildings of Washington, their interiors, views of the city and portraits of a few of the Presidents and their wives were among the many pictures shown

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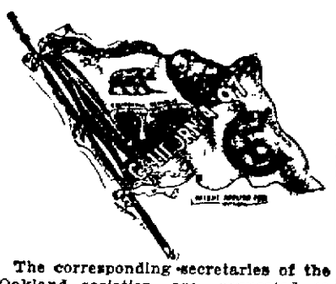

The corresponding secretaries of the Oakland societies are requested to send their news item to Miss Christine Prowes, 1128 East Nineteenth street, who will have charge of the Press Committee work for the month of May. The items must reach her by Thursday afternoon of each week.

The committee appointed to arrange for the quarterly convention of the Alameda County Junior Christian Endeavor Union is Miss Georgia Barker, chairman; Mr. Akers of South Berkeley, president; Mrs Lee of the Berkeley Congregational, Miss Albin of Trinity M E and Mrs. Binney of the Berkeley Baptist This convention will take place in June and will probably be in Berkeley. A nominating committee has also been appointed to nominate the Junior county Union officers. This committee is Miss A. B. Wythe, chairman; Robt. Stuart, Miss Pauline Collins, Ray Coyle, and Beatrice Wilson.

The topic for Sunday, May 16th:—"Some Things Worth Living For." I John 2:12-17 What shall we live for? "And the world passeth away and the lust thereof." Yes, man's little world, the world of customs, ambitions, sins and sorrow, passes away, and there is little in it to live for; but above it and behind it and through it all, are things which change not

Christ taught us how and for what to live, to be in the world but not of it, for there are two different ways of living in the world He lived not for the customs and ambitions of the world, but for the immortal part of it, the souls of men. He not only lived but died for the world, and only when we follow the example of his life of love and sacrifice can we make our lives worth living.

Live then for Christ by helping those He died for, do one act of kindness, help one despairing person and something has been done worth living for.

Sir Launfal found the log sought for Holy Grail in the cup he filled for the leper, so may the things most truly worth living for be found in the little daily kindnesses and sacrifices for our brothers In short, the one great thing worth living for is to live the Christ life in every particular.

The Mizpah C. E. Society of the First M. E. Church has elected the following officers. President, John C. Luhr; vice-president, Willson J. Wythe; secretary, Ethel Liddell; assistant secretary, Lottie Thompson, treasurer, Carlos G White and corresponding secretary, Lena Taber organist, Grace Edwards, and chorister, Myron T. Holcomb; delegates to the city Union, Carlos White and Walter Maddrill.

Last Sunday the Fourth Congregational Christian Endeavor was visited by a representative of the '97 committee of Alameda County and Geo. P. Lowell, the county president Both of the visitors spoke and aroused a great deal of enthusiasm and interest in the coming great convention.

This society has not had a lookout committee until two weeks ago and the result of its appointment was that four new members were received at this meeting.

Alameda County Junior Christian Endeavor work is growing very rapidly. Last Sunday the Methodist Episcopal Junior Christian Endeavor Society of Haywards resumed its meetings after having been suspended for six months and a new society was organized in the Pilgrim Congregational Church. Two weeks ago the Good Will Congregational Sunday School and the Golden Gate Presbyterian Church organized a Junior also and tomorrow the First English Lutheran Junior C. E., which has been disbanded, is to be reorganized.

The business of a leader is to lead the meetin. That seems so plain as not to need stating. But it is a fact that many leaders do not lead, and appear not to understand that it is their business. They give the meeting a good push to start it, and leave the steering to take care of itself. From will not use the hymn book merely to fill pauses, but will throw out questions and suggestions to start trains of thought. In the same way, he will quietly check any tendency to unprofitable wandering from the main topic. If the calls for hymns threaten to take an undue amount of time, he will ask that but a stanza or two be sung; and, if there seems to be little thought of the meaning of the words, he will propose that reading occasionally be added to the singing If the devotional element in the meeting is especially weak, he will ask for seasons of prayer. The business of a leader is only to lead, not to drive. It is his to make it easy and natural for others to follow. The meeting is not his, but theirs. It is theirs from the first minute to the last. The earlier there is opportunity for them to feel this, the more readily will they usually do their part. If the leader makes them feel that the meeting is his until some time when he says by word or act, "The meeting is yours," it will not be surprising if they do not eagerly claim their ownership then. He may be able to make most eloquent or instructive remarks, but, if what he says is not intended to make it easy for others to follow, he is not a good leader. Nor has he a right to take so much time either in opening the meeting or later, that all the others will not have full opportunity to take part. He is one of the society, set to help them worship and witness, not to exhibit himself in any way. He will have in his own mind a careful plan for the hour; but he will feel that he has been most successful when each has been moved to speak from the heart in ways that he could not have planned or foreseen. There is no good meeting that is not thus led by the Spirit, and he that would helpfully lead must himself ask to be led by that Spirit.

HARDY'S

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A NEW BOOK BY MARK TWAIN

There's no weather in it. Mark Twain's new book "The American Claimant," in which the ever speculative Col Mulberry Sellers goes heroizing it through the merry pages Twain says lots of valuable time is wasted by novelists in waiting for good weather and in stumbling through interpretive storms, and he does not fall into error. Col. Sellers latest inspiration is to buy Siberia and wash the face of European politics There are many short stories and sketches in the big book which, needless to say is interesting from preface to finish, and you should read it.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

FRIDAY, May 7, 1897.

Irving M. and Laura H. Scott to Effie Browne, N 6th av 125 E E-10th st E 25 x N 150, blk 21, Clinton, gift.

M. and Catherine A. McCann to Henry Drapel, lots 1, 2 and 3, blk 747, of C. C. Clay's sub Levy & Lane tract, Q. C. D., $50

Geo A. and Mary Severance to Ella A. Osborne wf W. S., the S 30 ft lot A, blk 53, Alameda Park Hd, $10.

Wm. Gibbons to Jas. Black, beg at a pt 142 from N cor 1st and Lizzie sts NE 43 NW 162-10 SW 52 SE 180 to beg, blk 1, McLeod tract, town of Livermore, $5.

W. W. Sr. and Ellen M. Allen to Frederick L. Burt, E Chestnut st 100 S 8th st S 27-8½ x E 133, being lot 5, blk 538, warranty deed, $10

Albert Ellis to Edwin J. Ellis, N 9th st 125 E Clay st E 25 x N 100, being lot 8, blk 117, $10

Frederick A Allardt to Oakland Bank of Savings, lots 15 and 16, blk 29, San Antonio, $10

Anson S. and Anita S. Blake, F. W. and Carrie S. Bliger to Chas T. Lewis, lots 13, blk 1, of The Highlands, being a resub of blks 1, 2 and 3 of Tuohy Addn to Bkly, $10

E. and Caroline Rammelsberg to Nahum E Williams, E 6th st 146-2 N Delaware st N 8 x E 115, being the S 6 ft of lot 20, blk 65, tract B Bkly L. and T. I. Assn, to correct 478 d 36, $10.

H. A. and Christine S Pleitner to Jos. and Marie T. Meyer, W Merrill av 30 N Lloyd av N 33.76 x W 122, being lot 9, blk E, Fruitvale Terminal tract, $10

Stanley and Caroline Stephenson to W. P. Fuller & Co (a corptn), S Encinal av 100 E Oak st E 50 x S 140, being lot 3, blk S, lands adjct to Encinal, E Laurel st 120 S Clinton av S 40 x E 130, being lot 8, blk A, Bellevue tract, $10.

Chas L. and Annie S. Taylor to Felix Marcuse and A J. Remmel, W Minturn st 137 S Railroad av S 37 x W 88, being lot 8, map of sub lot 32, Fasskings Park, $10.

Jos and Kate Lewis to Wilhelm T. Sagehorn, SE Santa Clara av and Stanton st th E to dividing line bet Hibberd and Fitch & Sharon tract, th SW to E Stanton st, th N to beg; W cor Baker av and Virginia st SW 150 x NW 110-6, being lots 32 to 37, Bromley tract; NW Baker av 75 NE Virginia st NE 75 x NW 110, being lots 26, 27 and 28, Bromley tract, N cor Mills st and Baker av NW 100 x NE 169 50, being ptn lot 16, revised map J. Levi Sr. tract, $10

Henry J and C S Diggles and Jas H. Barton to John P. Fevrier, 26 761 acres beg at SW cor lot 3 at post marked "lots 2 & 3," th E 10 chs N 24 65 chs NW 12.01 chs E 29 34 chs to beg, being lot 3 in plot 40, Rancho El Valle de San Jose, also right of way over road fronting said lot 3 and connecting with county road, $669.

A Family Jar

Some time ago Mrs Margaret White, who lives on the north side of Thirty-seventh street, between Grove and West streets secured a division of community property from her husband. She took the cottage in which she lives, and the husband was content with the vacant lot adjoining. Then the wife made a will leaving her holdings to Mrs. Johnson, a niece. This is said to have angered the husband so that he has built a shanty on his lot, with the intention of marring the beauty of his wife's property at all events the shanty stands there, entirely out of keeping with the surroundings.

If you are a poor cook, buy a cook book, follow directions closely, see the result. Failure six in ten times. How long would you keep a cook who failed half the time?

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SOCIETY NEWS.

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McElrath, Morgan, Moore, Della Mills, Viva Nicholson, Newlands, Otey, Ethel Pomeroy, Ethel Patton, Cora Jenkins, Katherine Keating, May Kummer, Amy Pratt, Libbie Pennoyer, Miss Pringle, Sally and Caroline Inman, Mary Randall, Remillard, Lillian Strong, Ella Sterrett, Grace Sanborn, Edith Simpson, Marion Smith, Winifred and May Burge, Florence Stone, Emily Staples, Edith Stubbs, Sadie Sinclair, Alice Stevenson, Marie and Louise Schwartz, Louise Lemmons, Margaret Sinclair, Mamie Thomas, Ethel Valentine, May Vrooman, Gertrude Van Wyck, Gertrude Voorhies, Ray Wellman, Ethel and Sally Whitney Florence White, Florence Walker, Marie Wells.

Messrs. H. A. Allen, George Alexander, Ray Burrell, Cliff Boardman, Will Barley, Lloyd Baldwin, Henry Bacon, Will Bacon, Will Buzzard, Ben Bakewell, Percy Bromwell, Herbert Beck, Eugene Beck, Dan Belden, Cleve, Ray and Harry Baker, Eric Boegle, Bart Brown, Willie Childs, Hall McCoy, Sterling Carr, Fritz Crist, Phillip Clay, Charles Clay, Fred Conklin, Will and Clarence Creed, F. Cornwall, Allen Chickering, Roger Harris, George Cushing, Homer Craig, Dixwell Davenport, Walter Dayton, Fred and Gus Dieckmann, Carl Lehners, Will and Norris English, Wallace Everett, Ralph Emery, Harry Farr, Roger Friend, Charles Gardner, Lawrence Green, Will Gunn, George Gage, McClure, Gregory, Mark Hyde, Horn, Havens, Sumner Hardy, Carl Howard, Carl and Jack Hoffman, Will King Linscott, Lewis, Guy Liljencrantz, Howard Morrow, Claude McClure, Dr. Musser, Roy Mauvais, Al Moore, George Mather, Fred Marsten, Rob Mein, Bernie Miller, Roy Macdonald, Jack and Jim Newlands, Moffitt, Newell, Harry Nichols, Will and Tom Olney, Potter, Pratt, Pringle, Parcells, Parker, Pheby, Inman, Ransome, Ritchie, Rosborough, Roscoe, Reed, Russell, Herbert Selby, Beach Soule, Ed Staidmuller, George Sessions, Walter Starr, Schilling, Smith, Stevenson, Simpson, Taylor, Taft, Thorne, Tupler, Robbins, Selfridge, Stone, Sanborn, Upham and others.

MISS JORDAN'S PARTY.

Miss Nettie Jordan, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Jordan, gave a pleasant little party last evening in honor of the eleventh anniversary of her birthday. The invitations were confined to children in the immediate neighborhood. The evening was enjoyably spent in playing games. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Charlotte Knudson, Harold Knudson, Bertha Greenleaf, Kate Greenleaf, Sibyl Tripp, Mildred Tripp, Ethel Lloyd, Edward Lloyd, Harold Heckman, Frank Jordan Jr., Nettie Jordan, Grace Jordan, Maud Howard, Margaret Moore and Florence Pardee.

A DANCING CLASS.

An enjoyable affair was the dance given last Saturday evening at Masonic Hall by the pupils of Miss Belcher's dancing glass. Irving Burrell had charge of the affair. The German, full of new and pretty figures, was led by Irving Burrell and Zella Osborn.

Among those present were Misses Edna Hewes, Hazel Pierce, Zella Osborn, Hazel McGraw, Edna Barry, Ethel Hass, Bessie Cotton, Paul Otie, Gerrold Otie, Will Childs, Cleve Baker, Girard Clement, Ed Hume, Clarence Roll, Arthur Roll, Hall, Robinson, Taber, Frank Langstroth.

THE KYTE TEA.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kyte gave a pleasant tea last Wednesday afternoon in honor of her friend, Mrs. R. H. Moskiman of Pismo, San Luis Osbispo County, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. J. N. Bonham of 1808 Market street who is about to leave shortly for home. The table was exquisitely decorated with La France roses. Refreshments were served from 3 to 5 P M. Among the guests present were. Mrs. R. Moskiman Sr., Mrs. Fletcher, Miss Mamie Fletcher, Mrs. J. N. Bonham, Mrs. W. J Coffey, Mrs. G. J Kyte, Mrs J W. Bankhead, Mrs. E J Kyte, the Misses Myrtle Bankhead, Blanche Bonham, Marie Coffey, Lolita Kyte and others.

LUDLOW—LEE.

A pretty wedding occurred Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ludlow on Eighth street when Miss Mattie Ludlow and Frederick John Lee were married. The Rev. J. K. McLean D. D. was the officiating clergyman. The pretty home was lavishly decorated with flowers and potted plants. The bride's father is master car repairer of the Southern Pacific in the West Oakland Yards and the bride herself is well known in social circles. Mr. and Mrs. Lee will reside at 1214 Twelfth street where the groom recently built a cottage. They will be at home to their friends after May 20th.

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Plates, Tea sizes	Each 5 cts
Plates, Dinner sizes	Each 6 cts
Plates, Soup	Each 7 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 8 cts
Vegetable Dish, 8-inch	Each 20 cts
Large Water Pitcher	Each 38 cts
Tea Pots	Each 40 cts

Very Best Quality Semi-Porcelain.
Summertime Spray Decoration, Gold Handles and Trimmings

After Dinner Coffee	Each 8 cts
Bowls, Table	Each 10 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 10 cts
Coffee Cups and Saucers	Each 12 cts
Salad Dish, 6-inch	Each 13 cts
Meat Platters, 8-inch	Each 13 cts
Salad Dish, 7-inch	Each 17 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Vegetable Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Meat Platters, 10-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 35 cts
Salad Dish, 9-inch	Each 35 cts
Meat Platters, 12-inch	Each 45 cts
Large Water Pitcher	Each 50 cts
Meat Platters, 14-inch	Each 60 cts

Very Best Quality Semi-Porcelain.
Wind Flower Spray Decoration, Gold Handles and Trimmings.

Plates, Breakfast	Each 7 cts
Plates, Dinner	Each 8 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 10 cts
Bowls, Table	Each 10 cts
Salad Dish, 6-inch	Each 13 cts
Salad Dish, 7-inch	Each 17 cts
Vegetable Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 35 cts
Salad Dish, 9-inch	Each 35 cts
Salad Dish, 10-inch	Each 42 cts
Butter Dish	Each 45 cts
Water Pitcher	Each 45 cts

Very Best Quality Semi-Porcelain.
Gold Illuminated Spray Decoration, Gold Handles and Trimmings.

Fruit Saucers	Each 5 cts
Plates, Tea	Each 7 cts
Custards	Each 8 cts
Bone Plates	Each 8 cts
Plates, Breakfast	Each 8 cts
After Dinner Coffees	Each 10 cts
Plates, Dinner	Each 10 cts
Bowls, Table	Each 12 cts
Cups and Saucers	Each 12 cts
Coffee Cups and Saucers	Each 12 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 15 cts
Vegetable Dishes, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Salad Dish, 8-inch	Each 25 cts
Milk Pitcher	Each 35 cts
Meat Platter, 12-inch	Each 47 cts
Butter and Cover	Each 50 cts
Water Pitcher	Each 60 cts
Meat Platter, 14-inch	Each 62 cts
Soup Tureen	Each $1.00

Azalia Decoration.

Plates, Breakfast	Each 5 cts
Butter Dish and Cover	Each 35 cts
Soup Tureens	Each 75 cts

Yellow Earthenware.

Pie Plates, medium	Each 5 cts
Bowls medium	Each 5 cts
Pie Plates, large	Each 8 cts
Nappies, large	Each 10 cts
Bowls, large	Each 15 cts

Decorated Earthenware.

Cuspidors, assorted colors	Each 15 cts
Cuspidores, new glaze	Each 20 cts
Majolica Cuspidores	Each 25 cts
Jardinieres	Each 35 cts

Jardinieres and Flower Pots.

Jardinieres, maple, 4-inch	Each 25 cts
Jardinieres, maple, 6-inch	Each 50 cts
Jardinieres, maple, 9-inch	Each $1.50

Glassware.

Tumblers	Each 24 cts
Bud Vases	Each 5 cts
Lemonade Cups	Each 5 cts
Handled Olive Dishes	Each 6 cts
Spoon Trays	Each 7 cts
Bouquet Holders	Each 10 cts
Water Pitcher	Each 25 cts
Tea Set	Set 25 cts

Bohemian Chinaware.
Very Pretty Decoration.

Toothpick Holder	Each 3 cts
Cream Pitcher	Each 5 cts
After Dinner Cup and Saucer	Each 8 cts
Cream Pitcher	Each 8 cts
Tea Pot Stands	Each 10 cts
Mugs	Each 10 cts
Cup, Saucer and Plate	Set 12 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Candlestick	Each 15 cts
Sugar and Cream Set	Set 15 cts
After Dinner Cup and Saucer	Each 15 cts
Butter Dish	Each 25 cts
Sugar and Cream Set	Each 25 cts
Cup, Saucer and Plate	Set 25 cts
Cuspidores	Each 29 cts
Nut Bowl	Each 35 cts
Cuspidores	Each 35 cts
Cup and Saucer	Each 35 cts
Cup and Saucer, moustache	Each 35 cts
Cuspidores	Each 40 cts
Chocolate Pot	Each 55 cts
Cuspidores	Each 55 cts
Cabarets	Each 60 cts
Tea Set	Set 65 cts
Toy Tea Sets	Set 85 cts
Tea Set	Set 90 cts
Cabarets	Each 95 cts
Cabarets	Each 95 cts

Genuine Delft China.

Toothpick Holders	Each 10 cts
Mugs	Each 12 cts
Pin Trays	Each 12 cts
Ash Trays, assorted	Each 18 cts
Jewel Trays	Each 18 cts
Olive Trays, assorted	Each 20 cts
Cream Pitcher	Each 25 cts
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Wind Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set 16.50
Gold Illuminated, Gold Trimmings	Set 16.50
Bijou, Bell Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set 17.50
Gold Medallion, Gold Trimmings	Set 17.50
The China, Apple Blossom, Gold Trimmings	Set 19.50

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Eola, Wild Flower, Gold Trimmings	Set 29.50
Gold Illuminated, Gold Trimmings	Set 29.50
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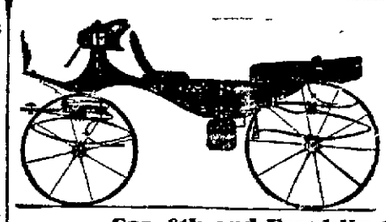

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FAREWELL TO CLASS.

Berkeley Students of '97 Bid Adieu to Alma Mater.

NEAT SENTIMENTS EXPRESSED.

The Noon Hour at the Various Leading Fraternal Houses.

THE GREAT AZTEC PAGEANT.

President W. R. Davis Speaks of the Next Alumni Reunion.

At 10 o'clock this morning the exercises of the graduating class of '97 of the University of California opened at Berkeley.

The first event of interest was a promenade concert by the Presidio Band.

Most of the visitors had arrived upon the grounds by 11 o'clock, there being several thousand friends of the University present at that time to witness the class pilgrimage.

This feature began at the hour mentioned.

Headed by the band, the members of the class, wearing their old service plugs for the last time, passed about the grounds from building to building, bidding a last farewell to those haunts which in four years had grown familiar and so dear to them. The speeches were short and brilliant and the audience was very enthusiastic in its applause.

AT SOUTH HALL.

At South Hall Frank Tade spoke as follows:

"On this farewell visit we remember the pleasant hours of the past four years. To the students of each department that particular building appeals. But the center of affection is South Hall, not the building itself so much as the Professors, above all Prof. Le Conte. Other studies will die early and thankfully, but Prof. Le Conte's studies never. But if studies are forgotten, their influence remains. To our successors we leave the pleasures we have enjoyed."

Cries were then given for "Professor Joe."

At Agricultural College G. F. Reinhardt said: "Here we have the remains of what we know as Agricultural College. The loss has been severe."

The speaker dwelt mostly in the reading of puns. Referring to the recent destruction of the building by fire, he finished: "We will have a better building in the hazy future, and the memories of our famous fire fighters will ever live in our minds."

AT THE LIBRARY.

At the Library Fred Magee said: "Above all others, this building is dear to us. The librarians have aided us greatly. The library stands for our motto, 'Let there be light.' The valuable thoughts in the books have united all the colleges. The library is often used for other purposes. Few of us have made the best use of the opportunity. Success in college depends on the use of opportunities. Coming with sordid motives is degrading. If we have used our opportunities well, we have made a true success.

"Advantages come also from contact with mind in the professors, but books are more lasting and better in our college life. We have borne responsibilities and helped the good cause by contact with other students. We must continue thus by identifying ourselves with the college.

At the chemistry building Robert Easton said: "After four years of work, we leave with sorrow. From the Freshie experiments up, honors are fraught with pathetic memories. In leaving Pop Rising, our regret is large. But we will show results. (Amid explosions, skeletons of bats, turkeys, etc., chemical experiments.)

MINING BUILDING.

At the mining building, W. E. Cole spoke.

"After four years' work," he said, "we are prepared to startle the world with knowledge. Not for two years after entering college do we reach this building, and it is therefore more dear to us than any other. Great names must fade before our members. No class has equaled us in brilliancy. One morning is not enough for the mining students to show their knowledge in an 'ex.'

"To those who founded this University our thanks are due. With our superior fitting, we shall one and all be proud of our famous members."

NORTH HALL.

At North Hall, A. W. Ransome spoke.

"As I stand here, where the North Hall 'step bums' (most of them '97) are accustomed to sit, the glories of our career overcome me. Here it is that we discuss our athletic victories. We have made up for Thanksgiving Day, and next year we will assemble here to discuss a football victory."

President Kellogg on being called for said: "North Hall is much obliged to you. From being best it is now worst looking. It must soon be rebuilt. But much good work has been done. In these walls more students have been gathered than in any other. North Hall says farewell."

The class then disbanded for the lunch hour.

AT THE FRAT HOUSES.

Where Many Ladies and Students Took the Noon Day Lunch.

During the lunch hour the different fraternity houses were thrown open and dainty repasts were served to the guests.

The Zeta Psi Hall was decorated as if for a flower carnival. Green boughs and palms nodded down the long hall, solid banks of roses surrounded the mantel pieces, and here and there were groups of rare orchids.

Among the guests were Miss Alice Sprague, Miss Florence Stone, Miss Jessie Hobart, Miss Marie Wilson, the Misses Robbins, Mrs. R. D. Robbins, Miss Rodgers, Miss Susie Blanding, Miss Helen Crocker, Miss Louise Crocker, Miss Sarah Dean, Miss May Budd, Mrs. John Budd, Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Miss Mattie Wellington, Miss Agnes Buchanan, Mrs. Cyrus Walker, Mrs. Ira Pierce, Miss Beatrice Steel, Mrs. E. L. G. Steele, Miss Elsie Bennett, Miss Ella Sterrett, Mrs. Watkinson, Miss Bertha Foote, Miss and Mrs. Vohees, Mrs. Van Wyck, Mrs. Wm. Dutton, the Misses Dutton, Miss Ethel Kittredge, Miss Simmons.

THE CHI PHI.

The Chi Phi house was decorated by the patronesses and showed remarkably fine taste. The grouping of roses, orchids, pinks and bright-hued blossoms made a delightful picture. The spacious rooms gave opportunity for a telling arrangement of palms and ferns. Among the ladies were: Miss Alice Ames, Miss Bessie Ames, Miss Mollie Thomas, Miss May Belle Gwinn, Miss Daisy Van Ness, the Misses Tompkins, Miss Carro Crocket, the Misses Burton, Miss Pratt, Miss Clara Huntington, Miss Lucy Jackson, Miss May Messer, Miss Marie Wells, Mrs. Hoffman, the Misses Hoffman, Miss Blakeman, Miss Ethel Keeny, Miss Gertrude Foreman, Miss Joceylin, Miss Helen Hopkins, Miss Carrie Haven, Mrs. C. D. Haven, Miss Amy McKee, Miss Williams, the Misses Creilin, Miss Mary McNutt, Miss Ruth McNutt, Mrs. Pringle, Mrs. Hutchinson, Miss Hess Pringle, Miss Belle Mhoon, the Misses Hutchinson.

SIGMA CHI.

Among those entertained by the Sigma Chi fraternity were: Mrs. Salisbury, Miss Kate Salisbury, Mrs. Pierce, Miss Pierce, Miss Quinan, Mr. Allen Wright, Mrs. F. Powers, Col. and Mrs. Mendell, Prof. and Mrs. Gayley, Mr. and Mrs. Leachman, Misses Crosley, H. Dutton, Frank L. Winn, Miss Juliet Williams, W. S. Wright, Mrs. Green, Misses Green, Temple Smith, Mrs. A. R. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Glascock, Miss Glascock.

PHI GAMA DELTA.

At the home of the Phi Gama, among those noticed were: Miss Gertrude Palmer, Mrs. Will Sanborn, Mrs. John Sanborn, Miss Ethel Pomeroy, Miss Grace Holt, Miss Florence Stone, Miss Clara Carpenter, Mrs. A. W. Havens, Mrs. A. H. Vorhees, Mrs. W. H. Smith, Mrs. E. F. Preston, Mrs. Henry Gibbons, Miss Jennie Rawlins, Miss Nettie Black, Miss Bernie Drown, Miss Dorothy Stubbs, Miss Edith Stubbs, Miss Mollie Hind; Miss Gertrude Bates, Miss Mary Whitney, Miss Hess Pringle, Miss Annie Clay, the Misses Sinclair, Miss Stevenson, the Misses Hush, Miss Carmen Moore.

SIGMA NU.

The Sigma Nu house, too, attracted many visitors, among whom were: Misses Seiz, Miss Bruntsch, Miss Gorrill, Miss Clift, Miss Beauman, Miss Terrill, Miss Mason, Miss Ella Holmes, Miss Marjorie Irwin, Miss Bessie Cole, Miss Margaret Cole, Miss Bassett, Miss Ellinwood, Miss Buckley, Miss Marion Whipple, Miss Lillie Webster, Miss Ella Morgan, Miss Frances Currey, Miss Belle Gwin, Misses Kent, Miss Wickson, Prof. and Mrs. Wickson, Miss Julia Crocker, Miss Mae Weldon, Miss Agnes Buchanan, Hon. and Mrs. Denicke, Hon. and Mrs. Horace Davis, Miss Mabel Bacon, Miss Muller, Misses Knowlton, Miss Stella Docan, Miss Dillon, Misses Rooney, Miss Theresa Rooney.

BETA THETA PI.

Among the visitors at the house of the Beta Theta Pi were the Misses Fore, Mr. and Mrs. Will Magee, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee, Miss Etta Havens, the Misses Gorrill and others.

THE AZTEC CEREMONY.

An Imposing Ritual Carried Out in Been Weed Amphitheatre.

At 2 P. M. the Class of '97 assembled and the members proceeded to attire themselves in the weird and fitting garments for the Aztec funeral.

Some of the chief characters wore elaborate costumes, while others of the class dressed in robes and wore such trinkets as would bespeak the austere Aztec.

The scene of the ceremonies was the old Ben Weed amphitheatre, among the tall trees at the rear of the chemistry building.

The site at the amphitheatre was a striking one. The spectators fairly lined the surrounding slopes.

The light attire of the ladies, the picturesque costumes of the different classes, surrounded and brightened by the green foliage and turf, made a picture not soon to be effaced from memory.

Down in the center of the arena a pyramid had been erected and around it were seats for those who were to take part in the ceremonies.

At the first sound of the music and the singing of the advancing class, every body became quiet and expectant.

It was to be the funeral of the great chief of the people of King Calchapan, and to the music of "The King of France" the class advanced singing the ode:

"The King of Calchapan, with thirty thousand men,
He marched 'em up a hill, he marched 'em down again,
And when they were up, they were up,
And when they were down, they were down,
And when they were in the middle, they
Were neither up nor down."

"And why did they go up, and why did they go down?
There was a mighty chief who died in Berkeley town;
And when he was live he was live,
And when he was dead, he was dead,
And when he was just a dying, he
Was neither live nor dead.

"And who was that great chief, that chief of wide renown?
The class of Ninety-Seven of famous Berkeley town;
To honor him we come,
To honor him we go,
And when we stop to honor him
We neither come nor go."

This they continued to sing while they marched about the pyramid, until the four censors commanded silence. Then the four masked priests took their places.

Then Calchapan, the king, took his seat and the ceremony began. The Herald commanded silence and the king addressed his people. Then the pipe of peace was smoked by the king and his priests, the subjects being allowed the pleasure of looking on.

The priests arose, when this act was finished, and scattering paper and sand about the altar proceeded to banish the hoodoo after due Aztec manner.

Next to arrive upon the scene was the high priest, and his party, consisting of mourners and sacrificed victims.

They entered the amphitheatre to the weird music of the "muscle dance," singing about "bones, bones, bones," and carrying a bier. This they deposited on the pyramid and assumed their positions, while the high priest offered prayer.

Following the prayer the high priest called, "Oh thou, most fearful scribe of the Allokspzechshaten, who has been chosen to make known unto all the world the virtues and valor of our dead great Chief, come forward unto his bier and read his eulogium unto the assembled multitude!"

The chief mourner approached and delivered the eulogy.

The chief mourner thought it would be a pleasant thing for a few of the victims to be killed, so that their spirits accompany the dead chieftain. The cry for gore then arose and the executioner took his place, while the high priest kindled a fire upon the altar. The victim was next chained to the altar and the executioner stood ready to deal the awful blow.

At this moment, however, an explosion took place and a veiled figure rose out of the pyramid in a cloud of smoke, uttering strange cries.

The high priest interpreted the cries to mean that there should be no killing.

A compromise was made on offerings from the victims. Each victim brought up a present suitable to his college life.

This being done, and the pyramid cleared, save for censors and high priest the choirs sang to the tune of "Our Team's a Daisy," these words:

Choirs: "Huitzilopochtil
Hecochahopti
Nomakaskihi
Pocatapetl;
Amashichakmool
Bobtatilpakmool—
Mourners: Why-in-the-deuce-don't-you--read-that-will?
Choirs: Shutupalitl.

Choirs: Iztaccihuatl
Gotablakbotl
Maitacolscotl
Potzdonnerhol!
Crambambahoika
Wesberkliborska—
Mourners: "Why-in-the-deuce don't-you-read-that-will?
Choirs: Nohoipalloi!

Choirs: "Chicunahupan
Frainastupan
Allahurupan
Mayallakan!
Salvagobangwhang
Scaranorangtang—
Mourners: "Why-in-the-deuce don't-you-read trat-will?
Choirs: Yushutamau!

The reading of the will of the dead chieftain, furnished considerable amusement.

Following the reading the class sang,

"Here's to Ninety-seven,
Dead and gone, dead and gone;
Here's to Ninety-seven,
Dead and gone, dead and gone;
Here's to Ninety-seven,
In the Great Alumni Heaven,
Dead and gone, dead and gone, dead and gone,
Gone, gone!
"Here's to Berkeley College,"—etc.

With a last "Ha, ha, ha! California, U. C., Berkeley. Zip boom-ah!" the exercises closed, and the Class of '97 was ready for its battle with the world.

The others who took leading parts in the exercises were A. P. McNutt, Dudley Dean, F. Finnegan, M. S. Blanchard, C. A. Elston, E. H. Hoag, C. Brackenbury, E. G. Hockabout, S. W. Cartwright, F. Taylor, George Whipple, Miss Augustine, Miss Whitehead, Miss Olney, Miss Young, Miss Price, Miss Culver, Miss Helm, and Miss Gregory.

THE ALUMNI BANQUET.

It Will Be the Largest and Grandest of the Series.

President W. R. Davis Announces the Full Programme for the Occasion.

The arrangements were completed today for the annual meeting and banquet of the Alumni Association of the U. C. The gathering will be held at the California Hotel, San Francisco, next Tuesday evening.

President W. R. Davis of this city declares it will be the largest gathering of the kind yet held. "There are now," he said today, "1,200 alumni of the University of California. These are four year term men, and do not include all the special course men and the graduates of the medical and law departments. With these our number will be about 2,500. In nearly every county of the State there has been an effort made to secure a full attendance, and I am certain that it will be the largest attended banquet ever held by the University of California alumni.

"I have just received replies from all over the State, and am able to announce the following programme for the evening:

"The opening speech will be made by myself, and the following toasts and responses will be given:

"'State Aid and Scholarships,' by John E. Budd.

"'Phoebe Hearst's Endowment,' Professor William Carey Jones.

"'Old Times and Us Old Fellows,' John R. Glascock of the old California College before the University of California was founded.

"'End or Commencement—Which?' by Arthur Elston, '97.

"'Alma Mater, Her Achievements and Supporters,' by G. W. Pearce of Yolo county.

"'The Young Graduate on the Grade,' F. H. Dam of San Francisco.

"'Commission and Omission,' by D. F. McWade, '97.

"All these speeches will be five minutes in length, and then will follow free lance speaking, in which many will participate."

Acting upon a suggestion, Mr. Davis wishes to have it understood that full dress, or evening dress, is "not a qualification for attendance at the alumni banquet May 12th. On the contrary, every man and every woman graduate of the University will be heartily welcome, irrespective of the apparel that may be most convenient or agreeable to him or her."

The vocal music will be in charge of the University Quartette, and they have prepared a typical U. C. programme.

FIGHT HAS COMMENCED.

Receiving Hospital Attaches Are Refused Their Pay.

Why and How the Institution Was Assumed by the County.

The attendants at the Receiving Hospital made application to County Auditor Whidden yesterday afternoon for their salary warrants, but the request was refused the documents, as the legality of the claims has been questioned.

Auditor Whidden will withhold the warrants until the question of the ledoctor and after suffering for a time institution is decided.

According to Captain Wilson who has been on the police force from a time before there was a Receiving Hospital, it would seem that the hospital was originally a city institution.

"Many years ago," said Captain Wilson, "there was no Receiving Hospital and when anybody was injured he was carried into the city prison, somebody would be detailed to go and dig up a doctor and after suffering for a time the patient would be attended to and sent home.

"There was an outburst of indignation over this treatment and eventually the Supervisors took the matter in hand and established a hospital for the whole county.

"People have been brought to it from all parts of the county and it is certainly right that everybody should take a hand in supporting it."

STIMPSON'S QUEER STORY.

He Says Money Was Mentioned in the Health Office Patronage.

Dr. Stimpson, the Democrat who was turned down for veterinary inspector of the Board of Health, is spreading a story that he was told he could have the place for $200. He declares that Mr. Houston, a mining man with desk room in the office of Benham & Thomas on Ninth street, told him that it had been decided to levy an assessment on those who were to get positions and that his share would be $200. "I told him I did not have that amount," says Stimpson, "and he asked if I had $25. I gave him $20, all I had."

Stimpson further states that a day or two afterwards he was told that he was to be turned down and that the then went to Houston who returned him his $20 saying that the slate had been cracked.

Mayor Thomas denies any knowledge of the story and Houston in regard to it said to a reporter:

I can assure you I would not sell such an office for $20. Dr. Stimpson came to me some time ago and requested me to speak a good word for him, as he had worked for Thomas. I then went to the mountains, and did not return until Wednesday. Meanwhile the Board was appointed and made its selections, which were later declared illegal.

"Wednesday Dr. Stimpson came in to see me, and asked me to see a physician whom he believed was to be on the Board. I did so, and he placed $20 on the desk, and told me he would give more when he was in office. I told him I did not want his money, and did what I could without any thought of remuneration. I am not in the business of office brokerage."

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Studying the Elements.

The metereological synopsis for the past month as recorded by the Students Observatory at the University, shows that the mean barometer, was 30.098; the highest point reached was on the 20th of the month, when it registered 30.357, the lowest, 29.836, was on the 26th.

The mean temperature of the thermometer was 55 degrees; the warmest day was the 24th, when 69 degrees were registered, while on the coldest day, the second of the month, 45 degrees were recorded.

The rainfall for April was .441 inches, making a total since July 1st, 1896, of 23.456, as against 27.773 of last year. The number of clear days was 19; fair days, 5; cloudy days, 6.

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Suggestions and Censures Not Intended for Public Ears.

At the conclusion of the inspection of the police force in front of the City Hall yesterday afternoon, the officers were marched upstairs to the Council chamber and were addressed by Chief Lloyd.

This is done every month or so, whenever the Chief thinks conditions make it necessary. The lectures are always held behind closed doors because at times the officers are censured in a general way. The Chief takes this method of censuring when the offenses do not warrant the bringing before him of individual offenders.

At these meetings the Chie also reads and explains new ordinances or ordinances that have a peculiar significance at that time.

The ordinance requiring property owners to keep their sidewalks free from grass and weeds was one of the latter read yesterday.

The Board of Police and Fire Commissioners had been invited to be present at yesterday's meeting, but Mayor Thomas was the only one who was able to respond.

The Mayor also addressed the assembled policemen. He complimented them and the Chief on the improvement in the force over former years, and said the present Board of Commissioners was determined to uphold the Chief in his efforts to maintain discipline in the department.

TO REMACADAMIZE.

Several Streets Are Named for Improvement Under the Roller.

At the next meeting of the Council Superintendent of Streets Miller will introduce a resolution of intention to re-macadamize with the new steam roller the following streets: Fifteenth between Broadway and Franklin; Seventeenth street, between Clay and Grove; Twelfth street, between Clay and Market; Eighth street, between Franklin and the Eighth-street bridge. The city will furnish the use of the roller and the property owners will have to pay for the rock and labor. The cost to property owners will not exceed 2 cents a square foot in any instance.

A BANGLE LOST.

A piece of jewelry of considerable value has been lost by Miss Elsie M. Cushing of 870 Adeline street. It is a cable link gold bangle and it is thought that it was lost either on Thirteenth or Franklin streets. The finder is requested to return the property to Miss Cushing and receive a reward.

W. C. T. U Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. of Oakland will hold its second evening meeting Monday, May 10th, at the First Methodist Episcopal Church, room No. 5 at 7:30 o'clock. All friends are cordially invited to attend. The programme will be as follows:

Devotional exercises, Mrs. Ida Jewell Baker; business paper, Mrs. Mary Lathrop; address, Mrs. Reisner; "Prison Work," Mrs. A. B. Gove.

A Unitarian Conference.

The Woman's Unitarian Conference which is meeting at Portland, Ore., in conjunction with the Pacific Unitarian Conference, has elected officers for the ensuing year and Mrs. C. H. Redington of this city has been elected treasurer.

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A DULL SEASON.

London Weather Is Too Chilly for Much Outdoor Gaiety.

MANY APPEALS FOR CHARITY.

An Enormous Sum Contributed for the Famine Fund.

THE JUBILEE PREPARATIONS.

Many Excellent Shows Staged at the Leading Theaters.

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LONDON, May 8.—Although the town is full and summer clubs, like the Hurlingham and Ranelagh are open, outdoor gaieties hang fire. The ladies are still wearing their furs and overcoats and are quite comfortable. Society is already on the qui vive in anticipation of the five fancy dress balls to be given by prominent hostesses. They promise a commotion approaching the Bradley Martin ball. A feature of the Duchess of Devonshire's will be an Oriental quadrille with Lady de Gray as Cleopatra, and Lady Dudley in a Byzantine costume.

Mrs. Arthur Paget, Lady Colbrooke and Miss Muriel Wilson will give the second ball at Holland House. The guests will appear in the costumes of their ancestors as painted by Gainsborough and Reynolds.

At Mr. Cavendish Bentick's ball the costumes worn will be similar to those which were the fashion at the beginning of the reign of Queen Victoria.

Lady Naylor-Leyland, formerly Miss Jane Chamberlain of Cleveland, Ohio, will also give a costume ball.

The Queen did a graceful thing on Thursday and delighted Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone by summoning their granddaughter, Dorothy Drew, to Windsor Castle. Her Majesty was anxious to see the child which figured so prominently in Mr. Gladstone's domestic life. Dorothy left Hawarden on Wednesday, accompanied by her mother, and from London to Windsor traveled with the Princess Louise. On arriving at Windsor they were met by Hon. William H. P. Carrington, one of the equerries in ordinary, with a royal carriage, to take them to the castle. After luncheon with the Queen Miss Drew returned to town.

The Prince and Princess of Wales and Princess Maude of Wales (Princess Charles of Denmark) are spending Sunday with the Duke of Westminster at Eaton Hall, Chester, where a large party has been gathered to meet them. On Monday the Prince and Princess of Wales will drive to Hawarden and lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone. Each member of the royal family will plant a tree at Hawarden as a memorial of the occasion.

The appeals to the charity of the Londoners are endless and are generally answered generously. The Mansion House Indian famine fund has now reached nearly the sum of £520,000 or £5,000 more than was raised during the whole course of the last famine.

The Daily Chronicle within a week has raised nearly £9,000 for the Greek wounded. The Prince of Wales Hospital fund alone hangs fire.

The yearly deficit of the London hospitals is over £100,000, and the Prince hoped to raise three million pounds. It is doubtful if even £500,000 will be obtained, but the Prince of Wales will personally address a meeting of bankers, merchants and other prominent people in the city and will appeal for more money for the hospital fund.

THE TRANSVAAL AFFAIR.

Great importance is attached to the decision of the Transvaal Volksraad at a secret session held at Pretoria, the capital, on Wednesday last, to repeal the Transvaal immigration law. The meeting was held to discuss the answer to be made to the dispatches of the British Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Jos. Chamberlain, who demanded a repeal of the law. The law was repealed, but it is explained that this step was taken, not because the measure was a breach of the London convention, but because it was distasteful to neighboring States.

The Transvaal States Attorney tendered his resignation in disapproval of the repeal. This action of the Transvaal Government, it is said here, clearly indicates a back-down on the part of President Kruger and the Volksraad, and renders the chances of war remote. It is the most important concession yet made by the Transvaal, and removes the chief cause of friction, not only between the Transvaal and Great Britain, but between Cape Colony and the Transvaal. It was on this point that Mr. Chamberlain's dispatches took almost the form of an ultimatum.

THE THEATERS.

The past week has been unventful for the theatrical world. Ibsen's "John Gabriel Borkman," which was produced at a matinee on Monday at the Grand Theatre attracted but little attention aside from the devotees of Ibsen.

The revival of the "Yeoman of the Guard" at the Savoy Theatre on Wednesday was successful and will probably run the season, though the cast compares unfavorably with that of the original production. Gilbert and Sullivan received an ovation.

The royal opera season opens on next Monday night at Covent Garden, when "Faust" will be performed.

Wilson Barrett brought out his revival of "Virginius" at the Lyric Theater last Monday. He has made several changes in the original work of Sheridan Knowles, thereby causing some comment. French illustrative music and scenery was provided, and the principal characters were assumed by Franklin McLeay as "Icilius," Alfred B. Dydone as "Appius Claudius," T. W. Dercival as "Cassius Claudius," Ambrose Manning as "Deltatus," Horace Hodges as "Numitodius," Maud Jefferies as "Virginia" and Frances Iver as "Servia."

Mlle. Landi, the singer who is in London for the season, has been engaged for a tour of forty concerts in Germany and Austria from November next to March, 1898.

George Giddens will, during the afternoon of Tuesday, produce at the Vaudeville Theater a new farcical comedy in three acts, entitled "Solomon's Twins." The author is Kinsey Pello. Mr. Giddens will in the play appear incidentally as a lady bicyclist. The company supporting him is composed of Messrs. Blakeley, Collette and Wyse, Mrs. E. Peples and Phyllis Broughton.

John Hare's first appearance at the Court Theater will occur next Saturday night in a revival of Pinero's comedy "The Hobby Horse," in which he will play his original part of "Spencer Jermin."

Lottie Venne, Louise Beadette, E. J. Lennon and William Ellin have been engaged for Dr. Osmond Carr's new opera shortly to be produced at the Opera Comique.

During her London engagement in June, Madame Rejane will produce, in addition to "Madame Sans Gene," "La Douloureuse" and "Francillon," in which latter comedy she has not appeared in Paris, its rights being owned by the Comedie Francaise.

THREE STORIES.

But None of the Authors Have Applied for a Copyright.

The Union this morning tells a fish story which is a whopper and no mistake. According to the veracious chronicler, a twety-foot whale entered chronicler, a twenty-foot whale entered afternoon and proceeded to splash around in a manner that was truly terrifying. Indeed, we we are told that the noise of the monster's spouting coud "be plainly heard a mile or more distant." The "water was made to fairly boil," and the "black tail could be seen to beat the air and sea in great fury." Now this would be really alarming if it were not also stated that the critter was last seen near Coronado boathouse, almost inside Glorieta bay, just east of the hotel, which leads us to conclude that, after all, it was only the far-famed Coronado octopus out for an airing.—Santa Cruz Sentinel.

A Lower California miner fell down a forty-foot shaft last week. No bones were broken: Internally he felt as did many municipal candidates here on the evening of April 6th, after the vote had been counted—he was a trifle sore.—Selma Tribune.

A den of California lions has been discovered in the hill back of Sunol, and, strange to say, the cat-like beasts have been making their home in the basement of a farm house. The premises had been vacant for some time, but a family moved in about ten days ago. They were disturbed both day and night by peculiar noises under the house, and they almost became convinced that the place was the rendezvous of spooks, hobgoblins and bogie men. About noontime last Saturday while the children were playing about the yard, they heard a great commotion in the cellar. A portion of it is very deep and partially filled with water. There was a splashing noise and an occasional roar from this place that almost scared the youngsters to death. They rushed into the house and called their parents. The father peeped under the cellar and saw a huge lion come out of the water and curl himself up in one corner of the basement. Nearby was his mate and several cubs. The man rushed for a shotgun but before his return the lioness and her cubs had disappeared. The father of the flock, however, was shot. He measured six feet from tip to tip.—Pesaanton Times.

A Large Family.

This woman could own France, if she were of that nationality and cared to own it, in the present fear that the French race may dissappear from the face of the earth. Alas, she was not born in France, but is a Viennese. She is 40 years old and has already presented her husband with thirty-two children at eleven births, according to the Wiener Medicinische Wochenschrift. Twenty-six of them are boys and six girls; at the first birth four were born, at the second three, at the third four, at the fifth three, at the sixth two, at the seventh and eight three each, at the ninth two, at the tenth and eleventh three each. The mother has nursed them all herself. She has suffered from epilepsy since her fifteenth year, but none of the children so far show any sign of the disease. The woman was one of the four children born at one birth, her mother having borne thirty-eight children. She is the wife of a poor linen weaver, who would be perfectly excusable if he too, were attacked with epilepsy. Such a display of babies would paralyze the average father. He ought surely to be pensioned.

A gentleman who is in the habit of going about much among his fellow creatures, and interests himself in the affairs of all sorts and conditions of men, chanced to enter a humble cottage. The family were about seating themselves at the table for their evening meal, and were requested by the visitor not to permit his presence to interrupt them. The little group yielded to his request and bowing their heads repeated in concert the following pretty invocation:

"God bless our going out nor less
Our coming in, and make them sure,
God bless our daily bread, and bless
Whate'er we do, whate'er endure;
In death unto His peace awake us.
And heirs of His salvation make us."

This town has perhaps the smallest regular bonded debt of any metropolitan city in the country. Outside of the water works indebtedness it is only $690,000.

Barnum's famous expression, "The public loves to be humbugged," was perhaps borrowed from Mackenzie, who wrote: "Mankind in the gross is a gaping monster that loves to be deceived, and has seldom been disappointed."

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A Resume of Musical Features in Various Parts of the World.

On Monday evening next the Reliance Club will give a "Ladies' Night" which might more properly be termed a debut concert. The programme for the evening will consist of instrumental and vocal music, by the newly organized orchestra of thirty pieces and a chorus of twenty-five male voices.

"The affair is attracting much attention, especially as on the evening the Reliance orchestra will make its bow to the public. This is a fine aggregation of musicians, which threatens to drive the colors of some of the other organizations in existence in Oakland.

The next move the Club will make will be the organization of a glee club. This will be composed of fourteen good voices to be set off by twice the number of other singers. The chorus will be an attractive feature of the Reliance Club hereafter.

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On next Thursday evening a benefit concert will be tendered to Mrs. Kate Mould-Morgan, at the First Unitarian Church. It will be one of the features of the musical season and certainly demands what it will undoubtedly receive—a large and appreciative attendance.

Mrs. Morgan will be heard in several numbers. She possesses a fine contralto voice of unusual quality and her selections will certainly be pleasing.

Among the other talent which will assist, are: Miss Alice Ames, violinist; Miss Caroline Little, mezzo-soprano; Miss Florence N. Boyer, soprano; Alfred Wilkie, tenor; H. A. Melvin, basso, and the Temple Quartette, composed of Messrs. Clark, Wilkie, Melvin, and Carleton.

The concert will certainly be a very fine one and there will be but few of Oakland's musical circles who will miss it.

Mrs. Morgan is remembered as the widow of the late George L. Morgan, formerly City Attorney of Oakland. As pretty Kate Mould, then a clerk in Hardy's book store, she became his wife, but death left her alone in the world with four children to support. Mrs. Morgan, however, did not grieve, but went bravely to work and in a short time built up a fine business of making paper boxes. Her babies grew and the little fellows helped her. Then came the paper trust with its overwhelming competition. Mrs. Morgan's thriving and growing little business was crushed out of existence. She could not compete against millionaires, and when business failed, ill-health followed, and her resources diminished.

Now, however, Mrs. Morgan is about again and she will be gladly welcomed Thursday night.

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Local music circles were pleasantly invaded last Saturday by W. F. Zech and his string quartette. A thoroughly artistic recital from the works of Haydn' Scumann, and Volkmann was given at the home of Mr. Blackart, 1319 Tenth avenue. It was in no wise a public affair. About sixty lovers of music were present, and their quiet appreciation more than compensated for the enthusiasm connected with a big audience.

Zech is an artist who interprets the broad thoughts of the great masters of music as faithfully as he does their most delicate conceptions, and with a finesse, a technique, a confidence that is perfect. The pupil of the great Halir is an acquisition to the musical circles of this city. He will do his part in the revival now fortunately on in our musical life. He was ably assisted by his well organized quartette, including Mr. Hess, second violinist; Mr. Von der Mehden, 'cello and Mr. Blankart, violin; and Miss Belle Chamberlain, very well known in Oakland and a clever pianiste, also distinguished herself in the difficult Schumann Quintette.

Two quartettes, one by Volkmann, in C. minor, and the other by Haydn, in D. major, were given. Zech, of course, was the cynosure of all eyes. His spiccato howing in the quick movement of Haydn's quartette, suggesting the Gypsy Rondo tro was pure and perfect and his stallato bowing was equally noteworthy. In the slow movements his masterful, broad tone gave a sonorous impressiveness to the music. The quartette has been thoroughly drilled and plays with great evenness and nice emphasis.

The spirited and difficult ending of Haydn's quartette was a fine piece of ensemble work in which the 'celloist showed to advantage.

Zech wears his laurels easily and his quartette is certainly an organization of merit. It is to be hoped that the organization will be heard publicly, and, unless I am mistaken it has been proposed by some of our music lovers, so facilitate the giving of a few public recitals by a canvass for subscriptions.

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The rehearsals of the big chorus for the National Convention of Christian Endeavorers, continue in sections throughout the bay cities. The Oakland chorus will have the advantage of those in other cities, for it is under the direct leadership of A. M. Benham who will conduct the congregated chorus. All, or nearly of the chorus singers have joined the chorus and when the clans are gathered, the big choir will be able to render music which promises to surprise the Eastern visitors.

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The concert to be given by the Congregational Orchestra on the 27th of this month will be a very interesting affair. Dennis O'Sullivan will be the soloist and he will be heard in several of his best numbers. The orchestra will play overtures from Haydn's symphony, Strauss' waltzes and there will also be a number of short solos on wind instruments. Charles Pagnelli will be the solo violinist.

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At the concert given by the San Francisco Art Association, at Mark Hopkins Institute, Thursday night, Miss Eva Shorey made a decided success with her solos. She sang Hayden's, "My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair;" Vannini's "Mein Gretchen," "Confession," by Kathren Rodgers; Tosti's, "Donna Vorrei Morir" and "Without Thee" by d'Hardelot.

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A brilliant reception and flag presentation will take place under the auspices of La Estrella Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West at Native Sons Hall in San Francisco on Wednesday evening next. Mrs. Grace E. Dodge of this city has been specially engaged to sing the flag song with which she served such a success at Monterey at the raising of the flag.

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Wallace A. Sabin gave an organ recital in Alameda last night, at which the following programme was presented:

Fantasie, Sonata, (Rheinberger), Mr. W. A. Sabin.

Israfel, (Oliver King), Mrs. Olive Reed.

(a) Andante in G, (b) Elevation in A flat, (Guilmant); (c) Choral and Variations, (Henry Smart), Mr. Sabin.

Violin solo, Miss Alice Ames.

(a) Bourree in D, (W. A. Sabin); (b) Nocturne in B, (Chopin); (c) Concert, Fantasie in D, (R. P. Stewart), Mr. Sabin.

Ave Maria, (Mascagni), Mrs. Olive Reed.

(a) Album Leaf, (b) Album Leaf, (Grieg); (c) Marche de Fete, (Claussman), Mr. Sabin.

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J. Wheaton Leonard and Miss Rose Broderick will give a benefit concert in Y. M. C. A. Auditorium, San Francisco, on the evening of May 25th. Bernard Mollenhauer, the noted violinist; Mrs. W. J. Batchelder, the pianist and Mrs. McKinzie contralto, will assist the artists.

Mr. Leonard has made an enviable reputation as a soloist. He has a rich baritone voice and under the instruction of W. J. Batchelder, has come well to the front. He has a number of engagements to sing in San Francisco and San Jose.

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At Florence the former famous operatic composer, Teodalo Mabellini, died recently at the age of eighty. He was a pupil of Mercandante. None of his numerous operas achieved lasting success, however, for he had not much originality, nor was he capable of great dramatic expression. Yet a number of his operas are still given in Italian cities, and his "Rollo," "Genevieve of Florence" and "The Count of Lavagna" are retained on the repertory of many large theaters in Italy. Considerably more important than his operas were his oratorios, "Eudoxia and Paulus," and "The Last Day of Jerusalem," both of which are frequently performed in churches.

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The greatest musical event at Venice of the present season was the recent production of a Spanish work which heretofore was hardly known outside of Spain. It is an operatic tetralogy in the style of Wagner's "Nibelungen Ring." The composer, Filippo Pedrell, named his work the "Pyrenees." It comprises a prologue and three sections, in which he describes the battle royal of the Spaniards against the Moores during the thirteenth century. It is an epic eulogizing the period of youthful chivalry of the Spanish people. Only the prologue was given in Venice, and that only on the concert stage, but the composer had come for the purpose from his native town of Tortosa in Catalonia to Venice, to conduct the rehearsals, and he was also present at the first production.

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Lillian Blauvelt, the American concert singer, has been engaged to sing the part of "The Forest Bird" in the Bayreuth performance of "Siegfried." She will sail for Europe on June 2d.

THE TENOR.

AT LEONA HEIGHTS.

A Fine Open-Air Concert Arranged for Sunday Afternoon.

A concert by Homeir's band will be given Sunday afternoon at Leona Heights, between the hours of 2 and 4:30 o'clock. The programme will be as follows:

PART I.

March from Verdi's opera "Aida"..
..... Reeves
Overture, Raymond.... ...Amb. Thomas
Waltz, Carlotta.... .... ..E. Millocker
Cornet solo, Sea Flower Polka.....
..... Rollinson
Performed by the boy wonder,
Master John Bambridge.
Maybells Herald the Approach of Spring.. ....Ellenberg
Offenbachiana, selection from Offenbach operas..... .....
....Arranged by Boettiger
Ethiopean carnival..... ....Laurendeau

PART II.

Coronation march, from "Le Prophete"..... ....G. Meyerbeer
Overture, Barber of Seville....Rossini
Ballet music from "Faust," (Suite 1)
....Gounod
(1) Waltz for the corps de ballet.
(2) Ensemble for Helen and Her Trojan Maidens.
(3) Entry of the Nubian slaves.
(4) Solo dance of Cleopatra.
Espanita, Spanish waltz.....G. Rosey
In Darkest Africa..... ....J. H. Sousa
Medley, "A Gay Old Boy",L. O. DeWitt
Drone march..... ....L. A. Shick

AT BLAIR PARK.

A Fine Programme and a Balloon Ascension Tomorrow.

Ritzau's Band of Soloists will render the following programme at Blair Park tomorrow:

March, "El Capitan".....Sousa
Overture, "Orpheus and Eurydice"..... .....Offenbach
Concert waltzes, "My Beauty".....Ziehrer

Leona, male soprano.

Baritone solo, "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep"..... .....
Louis Klotz.
(Extra special.)

Conlan and Turner, Acme wonders.

Cornet solo, "Palace Life".....Heed
Louis N. Ritzau.
(Intermission.)
Comic opera selection, "Robin Hood".. .....De Koven
(Introducing the gems of the opera.)
Grand fantasia, "On My Old Kentucky Home".....Herbert
Introducing baritone solo, L. Klotz, cornet brigade, Messrs. Ritzau, Keiner, De Vail and Fairgrieve; clarinet corps, Messrs. Keogh, Ritzau, Bangle; trombone and basses, Messrs. Tishbein, Hobbs and Peckham; obligato for flute and clogs, Messrs. Oestreicher and Hopkins, the whole ending with the majestic chorus of Ritzau's Band.

Aunt Jemima.

Hunting scene, "In a Black Forest".... .....Voelker
Valse de concert, "La Gitana"..Buccalossi

Balloon ascension.

Finale medley, "On Popular Airs".....
Musical director, Louis N. Ritzau.
Pleasant carriage direct to the park

SOME STAGE SCENES.

The Passing Show Both at Home and in the Provinces.

WARD AND VOKES NEXT WEEK.

A Humorous Play With a Strong Character Company.

THE OAKLAND'S VAUDEVILLE.

Interesting News Items From Many Theatrical Centers.

Next Monday and Tuesday evenings Ward and Vokes, the magnetic comedians, will appear at the Macdonough Theater in Charles E. Blaney's comedy, A Run on the Bank. In this they will appear in their grotesque characters of Percy and Harold, the English Lords.

The piece is a mine of mirth, from which the clever performers, thirty in number, dig out great gems of wit and rollicking music. It is a satirical burlesque on wildcat banking, and is perfectly suited to the peculiar, quaint humor of the stars. The company is a good one, because they are capable of entertaining an audience for a half hour, and they are given an opportunity to do it. The music is new, as are also all the dances and songs. The costumes are the most elaborate and costly ever seen in farce comedy.

OAKLAND THEATER.

The Oakland Theater has been well patronized this week and Pearl Landers and her company have been very successful in their production of Little Lord Fauntleroy.

Manager Stechan announces the engagement for one week commencing Monday, May 10th, of the International Vaudeville Company direct from the Orpheum circuit. This organization is composed of first class artists and the entertainment is an exceptionally high class one. Among the prominent members are the Zanfella Brothers, La Petite Rose, Oro and Bell, Lindslay Brothers, Miss Wainwright, Miss McClelland and others. The entertainment will consist of songs, dances, Chinese character sketches and acrobatic acts.

BALDWIN THEATER.

El Capitan has been drawing crowded houses at the Baldwin this week. Souza's music is bright and stirring and the solos are excellent. The libretto is decidedly clever and De Wolf Hopper makes the most of his role, and is as comical as ever. While he is the central figure, he has secured a highly pictorial and musically clever company. Edna Wallace Hopper is as charming as ever and is thoroughly delightful in her role. El Capitan will continue at the Baldwin for another week.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

An American Hero has proved to be a drawing card at Morosco's Grand Opera House. It is a lively comedy-drama with excellent spectacular features. Next week the White Rat, a picturesque drama of New York life, is the bill. There will be some excellent scenery showing the East River pier, etc. The Chinese opium joint and laundry will be life-like in their realism. Johnson and Durant, the famous Chinese impersonators and musical team will make their first appearane on this coast.

ALCAZAR THEATER.

East Lynne has been very successful at the Alcazar Theater this week. The drama never wears out its emotional properties and it never fails to touch the hearts of the tender-hearted. It is well cast at the Alcazar and no fault can be found with the acting of any of the company.

THE TIVOLI.

The charming Irish opera, Shamus O'Brien, has attracted crowds at the Tivoli. Denis O'Sullivan makes an attractive head and his magnificent baritone is heard to good advantage in the title role. The opera is well staged and the costumes are fresh and dainty.

THE ORPHEUM.

An excellent bill is on at the Orpheum this week and next. Fleurette and her four Fleurs de Lis is a decided novelty and a most attractive one. Their singing and dancing is both clever and taking. Tacianu, the soprano baritone, is very clever, while Madame Orlandi has a charming contralto voice. Ed Latelle, the Andersons, Herr Grais and his baboon and donkey, Marzelo and Millay have new acts.

PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

James O'Neill contemplates a revival of The Dead Heart next season.

It is said that Nestor Lennon intends to retire from the stage and study for the priesthood.

May "Munsey" publishes an excellent picture of Nance O'Neil, a former Oakland girl, who is winning fame and fortune on the stage. In the comments of its stage critics, Munsey says this of the fair young Californian:

"It is not often that an actress barely twenty-one years of age has her name printed in display type on the programmes after her first week's appearance in New York. This good fortune befell Nance O'Neil, now supporting McKee Rankin in True to Life, produced last Christmas at the Murray Hill Theater, where Miss O'Neil, as "a widow and typewriter," "leaped into popularity in a single night," as the programmes aforesaid put it.

Miss O'Neil is another member of that vast host of fair players hailing from the Golden Gate. She is an Oakland girl, and when she was eighteen met Mr. Rankin, who had just opened the Alcazar Theater in San Francisco, and under his auspices she made her debut in "Sara." This was in the fall of 1893, and since then she has played almost fifty parts, varying from Lady Calthorpe in La Belle Russe to Eliza in Uncle Tom's Cabin. She has always been under Mr. Rankin's stage direction, and attributes whatever success she has gained to the fact that she has never been allowed to be other than perfectly natural."

Jessie Busley of the Two Little Vagrants Company, and Gladys Wallis have been engaged by T. D. Frawley to appear in his stock company this summer.

Frederic de Belleville will go abroad next month. He is engaged to play the leading part next season with Julia Arthur in the dramatization of Mrs. Burnett's novel, A Lady of Quality.

E. H. Sothern will soon present at Philadelphia a new comedy, which, if successful, will be seen in New York in the autumn at the Lyceum Theater. Daniel Frohman will not sail for Europe until after the trial of the new play.

John Jack has resumed his original role of John Durbeyfield in Tess of the D'Urbervilles at the Fifth Avenue Theater in New York. Mr. Jack was compelled to relinquish the part five weeks ago to fulfill his contract with Joseph Jefferson, who has just closed his annual short spring season. W. J. Le Moyne, who acted the role during Mr. Jack's absence, will appear in Washington during the summer season in a series of characters similar to those in which he has appeared with the Lyceum Theater Company.

The New Zealand newspapers are full of enthusiastic praise of Mrs. Potter, Kyrle Bellew and their company. They have promised an open-air performance of "As You Like It" in the Government House grounds at Melbourne, in aid of the India famine fund, upon their return to Australia.

Arthur Bourchier has arranged with M. Paul Hervieu for the entire English and Colonial rights of his play "La Loi de l'homme," which is now in the full tide of its success at the Comedie Francaise. The French critics describe M. Hervieu as the coming Dumas of the French stage and "La Loi de l'homme" is being played four nights and one afternoon a week—an exceptional event at the Francaise, where, as a rule, no play is represented more than three times weekly.

W. H. Vernon as Borkman, Martin Harvey as Erhart, J. E. Welch as Foldel, Miss Genevieve Ward as Mrs. Borkman, Miss Elizabeth Robins as Ella, Miss Dora Barton as Frida, and Mrs. Tree as Mrs. Wilton—this is the cast for the performances of Ibsen's John Gabriel Borkman which the New Century Theater of London has in view. Such a cast, of course, is rendered possible only by the fact that the performances will take place in the afternoon.

A novel tendency is noticeable on the German stage in the number of Biblical plays and operas which have of late been produced. Rubinstein's Christ in Bremen; King Saul, Jeptha's Daughter have appeared; Herodias and John the Baptist are in preparation, Jacob and Esau was performed at a theater in Berlin the other day, and Cain's Death will follow shortly. Jacob and Esau was brought out by an amateur dramatic society at the Berlin Neues Theater, and while the author is a young man and has had very little experience in theatrical writing, his work was received with much favor.

TALE OF A JOLLY SKIPPER.

His Ship Is Very Different From Some in the East.

During the past few weeks, many columns of news have been sent over the wires telling of all kinds of atrocities on board ships and of unpolished, inhuman captains and officers.

In strong contrast to this is the following happy little experience of Editor Dalton of the Contra Costa News which he published in his paper.

Mr. Dalton says:

"About the jolliest and most agreeable gentleman it has ever been our good fortune to meet, is Thomas Y. Powles, master of the good ship James Kerr, now lying near Martinez. The captain and his good wife have been in port some three months and during that time have made many friends among our people by their hospitable ways and unassuming manners, and their vessel is almost daily visited by some of our townsfolk who always come ashore with a resolve to again pay a visit to the James Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Powles are accomplished conversationalists, and both are musicians of a high order. Their cabin contains a piano and an organ, and stacks of music, all of which are used and enjoyed by these good folks. They have with them their son Mariner, whom they sent for while here, and who a few months ago completed the course of study in H. M. ship Conway, at Liverpool. He will serve his apprenticeship on the James Kerr. The young man is also a fine musician, his choice of instruments being the violin which he plays with much skill. Captain Powles has a fine resonant voice of the baritone order which he is always ready to make use of for the entertainment of his guests. Another of this genial skipper's accomplishments is that of amateur photographer, and his albums of views and scenes of the different ports he has visited are intensely interesting.

Home life on the James Kerr is a happy one, and the crew, one and all unite in saying that Captain Powles and his wife are the best and kindest masters they ever sailed under. This must be so if for no other reason than that the chief officer of the vessel, Mr. Hole, has been a member of Captain Powles' crew for something like eighteen years.

Captain Powles was born at Wolverhampton, England, but does not remember his birthplace, as he was brought up at Eastwood Park, Yorkshire. He became imbued with a desire to go to sea and at the age of 13 was sent to H. M. Training Ship Conway, on the Mersey near Liverpool. On finishing his term of instruction he was offered a nomination for the Royal Navy but preferred the merchant service, and before he was 21 years of age was made master of the good ship Prince Oscar. He served her owner, S. R. Graves, M. P. for Liverpool, until the latter's death in 1878, when he married. The sons of Mr. Graves only allowing him to take his wife on one voyage, and desiring her company, he resigned his commission, and almost immediately was appointed captain of the British Commerce of Liverpool, with the assurance that if he made one voyage in her without his better half he should have command of a ship when he returned, and his wife would be allowed to "keep watch" with him. It is said that "love takes wings and flies away," but this time love took wings and flew forth and back again in very quick time, for the British Commerce went from Liverpool to Calcutta and back to Barrow in Furness (discharged a cargo in Calcutta, and reloaded there) in less than eight months. Then together went Tom and the "old woman" in the good ship John O'Gaunt to India many times, to Australia ports, to America North, to American West Coast South, where they witnessed the brutality of human beings during the Chilean revolution. Captain Powles on the death of James Beasley, owner of the John O'Gaunt, had to seek a new home on the "rolling wave" and he found it in the James Kerr, whose construction he superintended in 1891. The vessel is a very handsome one.

Since the year 1896 Captain Powles has visited this port no less than seven times, as master so that he is pretty well known, and knows a few folks himself. He will probably remain here until August when he expects to take a cargo of our wheat away with him.

GOD AND COUNTRY.

Endeavor Gathering and the Fourth of July Parade.

A QUESTION OF EXPENSE.

Preliminaries for the Next Meeting of the Body.

A CALL FOR MANY CARRIAGES.

Christian Endeavorers to Be Driven Through the Town.

The committee of seventeen having in charge the celebrations of the Fourth and 13th of July met in the rooms of the Merchants' Exchange in the Central Bank building last evening.

Those present were F. Sinclair, Theo. Gier, G. W. Arper, P. M. Fisher, E. E. Bunce, W. E. Barnard, J. T. Bell, H. O. Trowbridge, F. A. Webster, Maj. J. F. Hayes and W. H. Cobbledick.

Chairman C. R. Root presided.

Major Hayes, chairman of the military feature, reported that he had made a canvas and believed that the two Oakland companies and the Alameda company were all that could be secured for the parade on the Fourth of July. The companies in San Francisco, San Rafael, Petaluma, Napa, Santa Rosa and San Jose would have to parade in their own towns, as each of those places intended to celebrate the Fourth of July.

San Francisco, he said, was making an effort to secure the Oakland companies. While it was not certain that San Francisco would celebrate, it was more than likely that it would, and he had been told so by General Warfield.

E. E. Bunce of the Decoration Committee said his idea was to have one fine arch in Broadway and also one on Washington street. Those should be decorated, and the Finance Committee should report what amount would be required of Berkeley, Alameda, Fruitvale, etc.

OTHER EXPENSES.

Mr. Gier said that expenses for other things would probably be more important than decorations this year. He thought they could get the people along the line of march to do their own decorating.

Mr. Arper said he thought they would find the expense of constructing arches too great, as was found last year.

J. T. Bell of the Press Committee said he had written a letter to the Livermore Herald, which had been printed in large head-lines, and he intended writing to the other outside papers.

Mr. Bell also spoke of having envelopes and letter heads printed for advertising purposes.

Mr. Arper said he would not announce his Parade Committee until he had been assured that each person whom he would name on the committee would serve and not be a figurehead.

Mr. Bernard of the Carriage Committee said the West Oakland Improvement Club had responded to the invitation to furnish carriages.

The committee in Berkeley thought the Executive Committee a little premature, and the question arose how many rigs it would be expected to furnish.

Mr. Daly said he had canvassed the livery stables of the town, and they had without exception each promised to furnish a rig for the occasion gratis. They all thought that $5 for team and driver would be satisfactory if more outfits were needed.

Mr. Stanley of the West Oakland Improvement Club said that he had brought the matter up in the last meeting of the club, but they had thought it was rather premature. He said the West Oaklanders would do their share towards furnishing carriages.

Mr. Christiansen of the West Oakland Improvement Club said that four persons whom he had seen had promised to furnish rigs.

THE OFFER OF CARRIAGES.

Mr. Hager of Temescal said he had two rigs, one of which he would furnish gratis. Mr. Dozier also had a rig and he was satisfied that they could get a dozen rigs in Temescal free.

Mr. Barnard said that Mr. Naismith of Piedmont had expressed himself as satisfied that thirty teams in his district could be secured gratis.

Mr. Trowbridge said his work in the Exposition would be such that he would have to resign the chairmanship of the Entertainment Committee.

Mr. Gier nominated P. M. Fisher to fill the vacancy in the chairmanship of the Entertainment Committee made vacant by Mr. Trowbridge's resignation.

Mr. Fisher, however, was left in charge of the Advertisement Committee, and John A. Britton was appointed chairman of the Entertainment Committee. Mr. Trowbridge was sent to find Mr. Britton, and the former returned with the statement that Mr. Britton would think the matter over and either accept or reject the chairmanship today.

Mr. Webster of the Water Carnival Committee said the Alameda people had not yet got ready to report. He said it would be high tide on the night of the 5th of July at 10 o'clock.

The question of having a programme was brought up. Mr. Fisher said a Mr. Woodruff wished to get out a neat programme at no expense to the city, but Mr. Bell said there was no need of an official paper. The matter was referred to the Advertising Committee.

Mr. Pembroke suggested having a championship regatta on that day.

Mr. Gier moved that the secretary be instructed to have five or ten thousand envelopes and letter heads printed for advertising purposes. The motion was referred to the Advertising Committee and the secretary.

The meeting then adjourned.

A very rich Frenchman called "Fuvi" Chapellier made his fortune by utilizing the stale bread of Paris, not only that which came directly from bakeries, but also that found among the garbage of the city. Chapellier was a manufacturer of bread crumbs. He purchased the stale bread collected by a multitude of agents and either used the crumbs in manufacturing for himself or sold them to other manufacturers. He died a millionaire, leaving a large fortune to his heirs.

(Official.)

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Monday, May 3d, 1897.

The Board of Supervisors met at ten o'clock A. M.

The roll was called and all members found to be present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved without alteration.

APPLICATIONS FOR RELIEF.

The following made application for relief, viz: referred to the following Supervisors:

To Supervisor Mitchell:

Charles Wilson, 1723 Filbert street, age 76, nativity Sweden, widower.

Mrs. Chas Lopes, West Berkeley, age 36, nativity Germany, deserted, six children.

To Supervisor Roeth:

J. W. Swain, Fifteenth avenue between East Twelfth and Fourteenth streets.

To Supervisor Church:

A. J. Costa, aged 35, married.

REPORTS OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

The following reports were presented, viz:

Supervisor Wells, District No. 1, showing 185 indigents assisted at a cost of $315.50.

Supervisor Talcott, District No. 2, showing 119 indigents assisted, amount allowed $139.

Supervisor Church, District No. 3, showing 172 indigents assisted during April, amount allowed $238.

Chas. Roeth, Supervisor District No. 4, showing 113 indigents assisted during April, amount allowed $163.55.

From R. T. Stratton, physician of Receiving Hospital for April.

From W. A. Clark, Superintendent County Infirmary, for March and April.

From S. B. Adriance, gardener, showing amount of coal received at county buildings during April.

From Chas M. Fisher, physician County Jail, showing number of services to prisoners and indigents during April.

From J. H. Taylor, Justice of the Peace of Murray township, showing fees earned during April.

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMITS.

The following persons made application for permits to obtain a license for the sale of liquors, etc.

Ann Cathrine Havens, Eden township.
Herman Voigt, 2469 Telegraph avenue.
Henry F. Davis, Bay View.

The applications, being in proper form, were ordered received and filed and the bonds accompanying the same, being in proper form and for the correct amount, were ordered approved. The applications were referred to the Judiciary Committee.

REPORT OF JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably upon the applications of John Martin, Jos. Wilson, J. H. Klee and Joe J. Rodrigues. Thereupon appropriate resolutions were introduced and adopted granting to each of said parties permits to obtain a license for the sale of liquors.

REQUISITIONS.

Requisitions were received from the following officials, viz:

From S. B. Adriance, gardener, for tools, seeds, etc. Granted.

From C. B. White, Sheriff, for shoes, overalls and shirts. Granted.

From J. H. W. Riley, for 200 shorthand note books for use in Superior Courts. Granted.

From O. M. Sanford, County Treasurer, for two bank boxes. Granted.

From District Attorney Snook, for revolving bookcase. Referred to Building Committee.

SHELVING ALAMEDA COUNTY LAW LIBRARY.

R. M. Fitzgerald addressed the Board on behalf of the Law Library, calling attention to the lack of shelving in the Law Library for the accommodation of books. After consideration the matter was referred to the Building Committee to consult with the Board of Law Library Trustees and make proper alterations.

WEBSTER STREET BRIDGE.

A committee consisting of the following named persons: Jos. F. Forderer, Col Lyman Bridges, W. R. Polzer, V. M. Frodden, J. A. C. Macdonald Theo. Gier, Craigie Sharp and R. W. Snow, representing the commercial bodies in Oakland and Alameda, appeared before the Board and advocated the construction of a tunnel and viaducts under Oakland harbor and the issuing of bonds therefor. Resolutions adopted by said organizations were then presented and read, after which the same were ordered filed. On motion of Supervisor Church, duly seconded, it was decided to meet the Citizens' Committee in the Supervisors' chambers on Wednesday evening next at 8 o'clock.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Printing Committee presented a report concerning the printing of primary election laws, and recommended that they be not now printed.

The roll was called and the report adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

"FACTS AND FIGURES."

The Clerk presented a certificate from the Merchants' Exchange certifying that the edition of 10,000 copies heretofore by resolution provided for had been delivered in proper form and in accordance with specifications. The Clerk also stated that he had certified to the bill presented for printing said copies, having received receipts from the Pacific Press Publishing Company showing that 10,000 copies had been delivered as agreed to.

OPENING OF TEVIS STREET.

A petition was received from Edward D. Bassett and eleven others petitioning for the opening of Tevis street across the tracks of the Southern Pacific and California & Nevada Railroad.

Referred to District Attorney to report the proper course of procedure.

10,000 GALLON WATER TANK NILES ROAD DISTRICT.

The following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That Supervisor Wells, as Road Commissioner of Niles Road District, be and he is hereby empowered to have built a 10,000 gallon water tank in the Niles Road District, and the cost of the same shall be paid part out of the County General Road Fund, the General Road Fund and the Niles Road District Fund."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

PLEASANTON BRIDGE ON ROAD NO. 1533.

The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived, the Clerk read the affidavit showing due publication of notice to contractors in the "Pleasanton Times." He also called attention to the omission in the advertisement of the amount of certified check required. The District Attorney being present advised the Board to adopt a resolution requiring certified checks of at least 10 per cent of proposal and to postpone the opening of bids to a later hour of the day.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That in the matter of the bridge across the 'Mocha' on road No. 1533 in Pleasanton Road District, that the certified checks required by the bidders and published proposal be fixed at an amount equal to ten per cent of the bid or proposal, and that the hour for the consideration of said bids be and is hereby postponed to 2 P. M. of this day, and that said certified checks as aforesaid be presented to this Board and to the Clerk hereof before said hour, and unless so filed and presented the bid of any proposed bidder will not be considered."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

POUND MASTER TEMESCAL ROAD DISTRICT.

A petition was received from Dennis O'Neill and many others requesting the removal of William Vonderheidt from the position of Pound Master of Temescal Road District for abuse of authority and for acting unjustly and unlawfully.

A petition was also presented by Ham Coleman and many others requesting the appointment of Lou Morley in his place.

After due consideration the following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That the office of Pound Master in Temescal District now held by William Vonderheidt be and the same is hereby declared vacant, to take effect from and after May 5th, 1897."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Wells, Roeth, Mitchell and Chairman Talcott.

Noes—None.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Wells, Roeth, Mitchell and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

SAN FRANCISCO AND OAKLAND DIRECTORIES FOR 1897.

Supervisor Roeth on behalf of the Printing Committee reported concerning the requisitions for directories of Oakland and San Francisco presented at the last meeting, and recommended that eight only be furnished; these offices hereafter to be designated to which said directories would be delivered. The report and suggestions of the committee were adopted by unanimous vote.

FREE SOLDIER'S LICENSE.

Dean Melville petitioned the Board for a free license in accordance with the provisions of section 27 of the County Government Act. The application was referred to Supervisor Roeth, who thereafter reporting favorably upon it, and on motion duly made and seconded, the application was granted and the Clerk directed to notify the County Auditor.

APPOINTMENT OF HORTICULTURAL COMMISSIONERS.

An application was received from J. A. Nichols and many others petitioning the Board to reappoint William Barry as Horticultural Commissioner to succeed himself. Thereupon Supervisor Church moved that the Board proceed to elect three Horticultural Commissioners; seconded by Supervisor Wells and carried by unanimous vote. Nominations being declared in order Supervisor Wells nominated William Barry of Niles. Seconded by Supervisor Church. Supervisor Roeth nominated A. D. Pryal. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell. Supervisor Talcott nominated E. O. Webb. Seconded by Supervisor Wells. No further nominations being made, the same were declared closed and those gentlemen placed in nomination were elected by the following vote

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells, Roeth and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

Thereupon the Chair declared Messrs Webb, Pryal and Barry duly elected Horticultural Commissioners to serve for the term provided by law.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.

A communication was received from Mr J. E. Crooks and others, residents of Eden township, recommending Mr. J. H. Eickhoff for reappointment as a member of the County Board of Education and also recommending that those selected should possess especially the qualifications of a University education

Supervisor Wells moved that the Board proceed to elect members of the County Board of Education. Seconded by Supervisor Church.

The roll was called and the motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

Nominations being in order, Supervisor Church placed in nomination H. C. Petray of Livermore. Seconded by Supervisor Wells. Supervisor Roeth placed in nomination Mr. Geo. W. Frick. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell. Supervisor Talcott nominated Mr. J. H. Eyckhoff. Seconded by Supervisor Wells. Nominations being declared closed the roll was called and the following named candidates were voted for by the following named Supervisors:

For Petray — Supervisors Wells and Church.

For Frick — Supervisors Roeth and Mitchell.

For Eyckhoff—Chairman Talcott.

There being no election, on motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously decided to vote for two candidates.

The roll being called, Supervisor Wells voted for Petray and Eyckhoff.

Supervisor Church voted for Eyckhoff and Petray.

Supervisor Roeth voted for Frick and Eyckhoff

Supervisor Mitchell voted for Frick and Eyckhoff.

Supervisor Talcott voted for Waterman and Eyckhoff.

Mr. Eyckhoff having received five votes was declared elected.

The Board then proceeded to ballot for the remaining member to be elected, and the roll being called.

Mr. Petray received the votes of Supervisors Wells, Church and Chairman Talcott, and

Mr. Frick the votes of Supervisors Roeth and Mitchell.

The Chair then announced that Messrs. Eyckhoff and Petray, having received a majority of the votes necessary to elect, were duly elected members of the County Board of Education for the term provided for by law.

RECESS.

The Chair then declared a recess till 2 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The roll was called and all members found to be present.

OPENING OF BIDS FOR PLEASANTON BRIDGE.

The matter of awarding the contract for the construction of the bridge over the Arroyo Mocha creek on county road No. 1533 was brought up for further consideration.

Bids were received as follows:

From Healy, Tibbetts & Co., $3,850.
From Cotton Bros. & Co., $3,790.
From J. A. McMahon, $4,405.
From Darby, Laydon & Co., $5,135.
From Jonhson & Peterson, $3,687.

Certified checks for an amount equal to ten per cent of the proposals made accompanied each bid. After the receipt of the bids the Board considered the same in Committee of the Whole. After which the following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That the bid of Johnson & Peterson being the lowest responsible bid for bridge across the Arroyo Mocha creek on county road 1533, in Pleasanton Road District, Alameda County, Cal., be and the same is hereby accepted and the contract therefor is hereby awarded to said Johnson & Peterson, with the understanding in open Board with said Johnson & Peterson that said includes the preparing and maintaining a temporary structure for the necessary travel during the construction of said bridge. The bond of said contractors for the faithful performance of said contract, including said necessary temporary structure, is hereby fixed at $3,790, and the Chairman of this Board is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with said Johnson & Peterson in accordance herewith. The bond to be approved by the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott.

Noes—None.

The Clerk was authorized to return the checks of unsuccessful bidders.

PETITION FOR ANNEXATION OF A PORTION OF EMERYVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO THE TOWN OF EMERYVILLE FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

A petition was received from G. W. Nickerson and many others asking the Board to annex to the town of Emeryville for school purposes only, a portion of Emeryville School District in accordance with the provisions of section 1576, article 5, of the school laws of California.

Referred to the District Attorney for examination and report.

RELIEF TO HALF ORPHANS.

The petition of Mrs. Catherine Reno for relief to certain orphan children in accordance with the provisions of certain State laws which had been referred at the last meeting to the District Attorney was reported on by him, and the Board advised to proceed and allow relief to petitioner in the same manner as other indigents were assisted. Thereupon the petition was referred to Supervisor Talcott with power.

NEW ROAD DISTRICT TO BE KNOWN AS ALVISO ROAD DISTRICT.

A petition was received from James Henaby, A. A. Bittencourt and 38 others requesting the Board to form a new road district having the same boundaries as Alviso School District and to be known and officially designated as "Alviso Road District."

Referred to Supervisor Wells for consideration and report.

ESTABLISHMENT OF WIDTH AND GRADE OF SIDEWALKS OF PERALTA AVENUE AND EXTENSION OF HIGH STREET.

The matter of the widening and extension of High street and also the establishment of the width and grade of Peralta avenue heretofore set for this time was postponed for further consideration to May 10th at 11 o'clock A. M.

ACCEPTANCE OF BOND POUND MASTER TEMESCAL ROAD DISTRICT.

The bond of Lou Morley as Pound Master of Temescal Road District, with Johanna O'Neill and Thomas Kearney as sureties, in the sum of $250 each, was presented for approval and acceptance, and the same being by the Board deemed satisfactory was accepted and the bond ordered approved by the Chairman of the Board by unanimous vote.

ALLOWANCE OF BILLS

[The following bills were then read, allowed and ordered paid out of the funds men]tioned and for the amounts respectively hereinafter stated:

County General Fund—S. B. Adriance, $85; J. C. S. Akerly, $5; A. E. Alexander, $4.50; Robt. O. Baldwin, $330 50; Bank of Pleasanton, assignee Aug. Bernal, $9; same, assignee T. R. Evans, $3; Bank of San Leandro, assignee J. E. Quinn, $12; same, assignee Tribune Publishing Co., $15.96, $150.11; E. Barnett, assignee A. Carvagnaro, $3; Robt. C. Beach, $87.70; J. P. Leckett, $2.15; W. M. Beckwith, $5; Thomas Bedard, $5.60; T. J. Brady, $3.75; J. S. Burpee, agent J. A. Crane, $11.70; California Bank, assignee H. V. Herbert, $142.10; W. H. Church, $55.90; Fred C. Clift, $210; L. H. Cobb, $75; Dalziel & Moller, $25.10; Fred A. Davis, $125; C. M. Day, $55; Dan'l Denahy, $75; J. L. Donovan, $125, Henry Dopman, $93.48; S. Ehrman, $15; Wm. M. Fallon, $100; Andrew Fine, $5; Chas. M. Fisher, $75, $150; James Fowler, $15, Gas Consumers' Ass'n, $16.90; John E. Geary, $11; J. A. Gollet, $102.40, W. H. H. Gentry, $30; M. Gusenhofer, $3.25; A. R. Hamlin, $85; F. W. Harms, $5; James E. Ingols, $75, Frank "W." James, $56.66; Jee Gam, $35; H. S. Kergan, $3; E. M. Keys, $10, C. W. Kinsey, $15.85; G. A. Koch, $110.70; Philip Kolb, assignee Wm. Brophy, $9, $30, J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee J. F. Cronin, $110.25; same, trustee, assignee Peter Delpet, $16 20; same, trustee, assignee Chas. A. Emlay, $35, same, trustee, assignee Paul Gilbert, $3; same, trustee, assignee N. T. Hansen, $5; same, trustee, assignee Jordan Printing Co., $40; same, trustee, assignee E. L. Lawrence, $102; same, trustee, assignee A. A. Long, $13.70; same, trustee, assignee E. L. Marshall, $13, same, trustee, assignee O. J. Mullen, $86.10; same, trustee, assignee Oakland Printing Co., $10, $13, $13.55; same, trustee, assignee Lizzie O'Keefe, $40; same, trustee, assignee Squire & Leavitt, $18.50, $20, $136.75; same, trustee, assignee H. W. Stiley, $13.50; same, trustee, assignee Tribune Publishing Co., $41.28; same, trustee, assignee I. Van Buskirk, $10, $19.50; same, trustee, assignee Mary Van Sandt, $9.13; same, trustee, assignee Geo. Wales, $34; same, trustee, assignee Al Williams, $89; same, trustee, assignee Ed Hathaway, $10.50; same, trustee, assignee A. Mitchell, $8.90, same, trustee, assignee Andy Mitchell, $13.80; same, trustee, assignee J. F. W. Sohst, $8 60, same, trustee, assignee I. B. Wheeler, $8.30; C. R. Lord, $21; Eugene Lynch, $85; L M Lyster, $7.10, G. E. Maloon, $75; McMullan & Cox, $13 15; A. W. Mitchell, $5 25; J. Mitchell, $80.70; John Mitchell, $74.60; J. W. Moore, $75; H. T. Morris, $95; Geo. L. Nusbaumer, $29.40, $175; Oakland Enquirer Publishing Co., $212.50, $3.50, $60, Oakland Rubber Stamp Co., $11, Pacific Press Publishing Co., assignee Geo. W. Calderwood, $1,500; John Pann, $5.50; Pietra Perata, $3; Richard Potts, $70.50; James G. Quinn, $9; Geo. E. Reynolds, $5; Charles Roeth, $89.40; S. Sandholdt, $56; A. W. S. Smith, $5; Chas. E. Snook, $11.05, State of California, $180.00; J. R. Talcott, $93 40; J. R. Taylor, assignee J. H. Taylor, $3; I. Tobriner, $26.30, H. Foelken, $18.40; Town of Livermore, $30, Robt. Turnbull, $4.80, $2.45; E. S. Van Court, $132; S. B. Van Dervoort, $60.10, Geo. Wales, $5.70, $2.20, $55.15, $16 90, $10.65, $2.70; J. K. Warner, $10, G. F. Weeks, $10 50; L. R. Webster, $15; Thos. D. Wells, $92; C. B. White, $4.70, $70.70, $454.40; W. A. Young, $101, $179 25; Soren Christensen, $52, Thomas Cuff, $66, James Davis, $44; First National Bank, assignee M L. Soares $52 64, $32.28, $16.74, $36.89, $100.31; P. C. Fredericksen, $82 00; Jno. E. Geary, $5; Humboldt Lumber Co., $47.05, A. Lucio, $82; C. W. Shoemaker, $50; Frank Slater, $98; Studebaker Bros. Mfg. Co., $399.35; Jas. Sunderer, assignee Peter Nolan, $31, J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee E. D. Lane, $28.80; J. F. Meyers, $26.50, Hawes & Dusterberry, assignee Geo. Wales, $58.10; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee Tribune Publishing Co., $99.75; F. Stolte, $3.

County Infirmary Fund—Agard & Co., $18.65; Ainsworth Bros., $10; Anspacher Bros., $61; E. H. Anthony, $5.45, $4.05; H. Arendt & Co., $34.60; Bank of San Leandro, assignee F. Borsi, $131.24; R. H. Chamberlain, $31.45; W. A. Clark, $35 10, $125; S. Buteau, $75; Geo. Baxley, $75, F. H. Hadley, $40; Miss Lucy Klein, $37.50; Mrs. E. E. Bandy, $37.50, Geo. Cook, $35; Sam Jeffers, $30, Thos. Lavin, $40; Chas. Geannot, $30; Geo. Walker, $40; Geo. Turner, $25, J. Weimmers, $30; Mrs. Smith, $8; Craft & Russell, $37, Dalziel & Moller, $2.75; Geo. A. J. Davis, $6; Herman Detjens, $15; J. H. A. Falkers & Bros., $24.50; A. J. Foster, $3 50, S. F. Gemmell, $25, Grand Rule Bazaar, $28.42, C. Hadlin & Son, $15, M. Hanley, $12; J. W. Harbert, $13; Jos. Herrscher, $12.50, $1,017.81, Jas. A. Joyce, $13.49, $7.04; Mrs. P. Kock, $18; James Lamb, $80.40; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee C. A. James, $4; same, trustee, assignee T. H. Kelly, $4.50; same, trustee, assignee Squire & Leavitt, $14; Jas. L. McCarthy, $24; Joseph McClain, $20, Hattie E. McDonald, $25, McKown & Mess, $17 45; McMillan & Cox, $83, Henry Meyer, $34; C. W. Moore, $7; Henry Muller, $25, Neal & Kalick, $20.70; Geo. L. Nusbaumer, $40; Osgood Bros., $367, $18, $49.45; Pacific Press Publishing Co., $13, H. Peterson, $17; E. A. Reed, $8.40; D. R. Rees, $7 50, J. R. Reily, $28, Chas. A. Sessions, agent, $361.76; Miss Belle Silva, $4; Joaquin S. Silva, $8 50; E. B. Stone, $1,833.75, R. T. Stratton, $273.38, I. D. Tobin, $35; I Tobriner, $4.85, $29.85; H. Tum Suden, $21; Western Meat Market, assignee E. Freund, $658.06; White Star Laundry, $10.70, Geo. L. Yager, $175; Jno. E. Geary, $12.

Salary Fund—J. H. Eickhoff, $11.60; W. B. Ludlow, $10.40; W. F. B. Lynch, $13.60, S. D. Waterman, $12.40.

General Road Fund—Soren Christensen, $1; Thomas Cuff, $1; James Davis, $1, First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1, $1, $1, $1, $1; P. C. Fredericksen, $1; Humboldt Lumber Co., $1; A. Lucio, $1; C. W. Shoemaker, $1; Frank Slater, $1; Studebaker Bros. Mfg. Co., $1; Jos. Sunderer, assignee Peter Nolan, $1; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee E. D. Lane, $1; J. F. Meyers, $1.

Alvarado District Road Fund—First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1.

Bay District Road Fund—J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee D. L. Davis, $5.50; same, trustee, assignee L. H. Delavergne, $12; same, trustee, assignee W. Dippo, $8, $8; same, trustee, assignee E. L. George, $12, $6, $6; same, trustee, assignee James S. Hayes, $2.75, $15.50; same, trustee, assignee Frank Slater, $84, $69, $18, $24, $8; same, trustee, assignee Wm. Tommas, $8, $8; same, trustee, assignee Henry Wahler, $2; same, trustee, assignee J. Young, $6; Judson Dynamite and Powder Co., $6.65; John Jurgens, $4.20, Frank Slater, $15; Henry W. Taylor, $12.54, Jacob Wehrle, $3.75, Frank Slater, $1.

Brooklyn District Road Fund—Geo. L. Nusbaumer, $25; A. Lucio, $1.

Castro Valley District Road Fund—M. Cunha, $2.25; J. W. Jamison, $3.75; Manuel Kelly, $34; D. C. Kennedy, $34; J. B. Parsons, $1.35; Pierce Hardware Co., $9.40, Wm. Van Hoosear, $73.80.

Centerville District Road Fund—Manuel S. Almeria, $12; Jos. S. Andrade, $12; Manuel E. Bettencourt, $12; Manuel Calderia, $3; Chas. D. Cummings, $3; E. S. Gomes, $7; Manuel S. Gomes, $10, Hawes & Dusterberry, $13.85; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee J. K. Lemos, $16.85, same, trustee, assignee M. S. Pires, $81, Frank Marshal, $12, Manuel Silveira Preira, $12; S. F. Silva, $32.62.

Claremont District Road Fund—James Davis, $12; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee R. Kohler, $10.50; same, trustee, assignee Edgar Lufkin, $16.50; same, trustee, assignee Paul Murillo, $16, $12.50; Christ Nelson, $10, James Stutt, $16.50; James Davis, $1.

Decoto District Road Fund — Henry Crosby, $71.85; George Peterson, $2; John H. Peterson, $6; Manuel J. Pimentel, $7; Chas. C. Whipple, $21; Edwin Whipple, $36.

Dublin District Road Fund — Bank of Pleasanton, assignee Edward Lunt, $39; C. H. Dall, $13.75; T. D. Wells, $26.25.

Fruitvale District Road Fund — A. C Fay, $16; First National Bank, assignee E. D. Lane, $77.60; Max Klopfer, $2; E. D Lane, assignee Charles Laats, $9.40; same, assignee John Cook, $5.40; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee E. Gates, $5.80; Joe Vincent, $6; P. C. Fredericksen, $1; C. W. Shoemaker, $1; Studebaker Bros. Mfg. Co., $1; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee E. D. Lane, $1.

Mission District Road Fund — James Black, $63; same, assignee G. H. Brown, $16, same, assignee Thomas Dillon, $16; same, assignee John Driscoll, $28; same, assignee Joseph Frates, $28; Richard Byren, $10; Ellis Bros., assignee Wm. Egan, $16; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee James Black, $18; E. W. Steinmetz, assignee M. A. Frates, $28; same, assignee Dave Holmes, $80; First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1; Joe Sunderer, assignee Peter Nolan, $1.

Mount Eden District Road Fund—Hans Anderson, $5; Mrs. Denis, $58; Henry Gansberger, $55.50; Hayward Lumber Co., $12.58; Peter Kay, $6; John Kuck, $73; Peter Kuck, $23; John Lemos, $30; Linekin & Allen, $4.80; John Lopas, $28; H. W. Meek, $10.70; Niels R. Neilson, $6; Mat C. Petersen, $5; John Rippe, $83; Hans Skow, $8, A. Sorenson, $23; Chris Winfield, $23.

Murray District Road Fund — Bank of Livermore, assignee James Bennett, $46.50; same, assignee J. Bowles, $49; same, assignee Thos. J. Brock, $51; same, assignee Felix Carillo, $2; same, assignee Salvator Franco, $10; same, assignee M. Murray, $87; same, assignee I. J. Righter, $45, $12; same, assignee Loughlin Rodgers, $[illegible] [Sam]uel Enos Prerry, $52; A. Ross, $46; First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1.

Niles District Road Fund—E. D. Baldwin, $8; Thos. Bedard, $1.75; same, assignee John Murphy, $12; same, assignee Henry Youngman, $28; California Bank, assignee Jas. Tyson, $14; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee J. B. Barnard, $83; same, trustee, assignee James Palmer et al., $25; Murphy & Briscoe, assignee Manuel Silver, $16, M. Palmer, $2, Frank Rose, $7; Wm. Snyder, assignee John Tyson, $16; First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1.

Palomares District Road Fund—Martin Enos, $4; Manuel Gallardt. $12; Ed Iversen, $8; Joe Marten, $10; Alex Mast, $12, John V. Merle, $4.15; Geo. Tecnade, $14.

Peralta District Road Fund — Thomas Cuff, $30; R. F. Davis, $25, Con Donovan, assignee F. N. Cuff, $18; same, assignee C. W. C. Simons, $20; Catherine Kock, assignee J. A. Garcia, $16, J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee Casserly & Jutting, $12.25, $5.25; same, trustee, assignee John Tierney, $4; Alex McAdam, $60; C. W. Moore, assignee C. Monson, $14, S. F. Morrill, $17.60; Thomas Cuff, $1.

Piedmont District Road Fund—Geo. Anderson, $10; E. Barnett, assignee Thomas Lane, $3; Chris Jessen, $10; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee J. Bourget, $54; same, trustee, assignee Wellington Coffin, $10, $9.50, same, trustee, assignee Geo. W. Flagg, $8; same, trustee, assignee Wm. Nichols, $29; same, trustee, assignee Patrick Tierney, $3; same, trustee, assignee Geo. W. Wilbur, $10; same, trustee, assignee S. T. Wilbur, $44; Maillard Searles, $4; Soren Christensen, $1; Humboldt Lumber Co., $1.

Pleasanton District Road Fund—Chadbourne Warehouse Co., assignee Charles Rothke, $43; First National Bank, assignee E. H. Frick, $154.50; J. F. Myers, $1.

San Lorenzo District Road Fund—Henry Smyth, assignee John Forth, $7, J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee Thos. Clines, $72, Henry Smyth, $107.60

Temescal District Road Fund—E. Barnett, assignee F. McGuire, $38; same, assignee Wm. McGuire, $44; California Bank, assignee Casserly & Jutting, $26 85; same, assignee C. Johnson, $44; same, assignee G. W. Logan, $33; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee Casserly & Jutting, $9.75, $5.25; same, trustee, assignee J. A. Garcia, $8; same, trustee, assignee Thomas Harrell, $40; same, trustee, assignee Hank McWilliams, $5; same, trustee, assignee M. Malone, $12; same, trustee, assignee W. S. Roberts, $4; same, trustee, assignee J. Tierney, $30; L. Pozzola, assignee V. Beretto, $15.

Vallecito District Road Fund—Bank of Pleasanton, assignee Manuel J. Bernal, $24; Henry Behrens, $3, $51; H. Carter, $48; Mrs. B. Costello, assignee James Costello, $43; William Day, $42; Robt. Ellis, assignee Lewis White, $12; Maurice Geary, $28; P. A. Haviland, assignee Chas. Duerr, $54; C. Hilden, $18; N Kalisky, assignee J. A Pease, $22.50; Frank King, $6; John Kolln, $82 50; Antone Leonardo, $24; James Osborn, $24; Joseph Rose, $47; James Trimmingham, $41.

Washington District Road Fund—N. L. Babb, assignee L. D. Babb, $32, Thos. Bedard, assignee Geo. Harlan, $32; E. J. Briscoe, assignee Antone Santos, $9.50; Geo. Christensen, $40, $22; same, assignee Jacob Juhler, $10; H. Curtner, assignee John Valencia, $17; H. Crowell, $2.90, same, assignee Jas. B. C. Hudson, $35, P Devaux, $22 50; S. Ehrman, $8 75; First National Bank, assignee Alex Leitch, $3, $15; Jos. Herrscher, assignee F. F. Furtado, $14; same, assignee M. F. Furtado, $10, same, assignee F. J. Furtado, $12; same, assignee M. F. Furtado, $5.50; Mrs. C. Hirsch, assignee Albert Anderson, $9, same, assignee Wm. W. Hirsch, $11, same, assignee Wm. Ramsell, $21.50; Hans Knudsen, assignee Chris P. Miller, $30; J. B. Lanktree, trustee, assignee P. Dereaux et al., $6.15, $14.55, C. F. Petersen, assignee James Leitch Jr., $13, Carl Rasmussen, assignee E. Powell, $36; J. Steinmetz, $7.05; same, assignee C. E. Hudson, $17; E. B. Thompson, assignee Augustus Wamsley, $4.50; First National Bank, assignee M. L. Soares, $1.

After the reading of said bills the following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That all of the bills read this day by the Clerk of this Board and duly passed upon by a majority of the Finance Committee be and the same are hereby allowed and ordered paid out of the proper funds."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

ABROGATION OF HAWAIIAN ISLAND TREATY CONFLICTING WITH CALIFORNIA BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY.

Supervisor Roeth introduced the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the following telegram be forwarded to the Hon. Geo. C. Perkins, U. S. Senator at Washington, D. C., viz:

"'We, the Supervisors of Alameda county, now in session at Oakland, respectfully ask you to work and vote for a duty on Hawaiian sugar and the abrogation of the present Hawaiian Island treaty, which conflicts with the California beet sugar industry. California should come first.'

"And the Clerk is directed to forward said telegram, signed by the Chairman of this Board and attested by its Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott.

Noes—None.

CONSIDERATION BY COMMITTEE OF REQUISITIONS REFERRED.

The following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That in all matters granting requisitions referred to a committee of this Board, that the action of said committee will not be effective unless a majority of said committee order the same to be done in committee meeting.

Supervisor Roeth requested the District Attorney's opinion as to whether or not the resolution adopted heretofore by the Board, which required that when requisitions were presented that the same shall be handed to the Chairman of the committee to which it has been referred with power, did not intend action by committee in meeting.

The District Attorney reported that under his construction of the resolution the matter would be referred to the committee with authority to a majority of the committee to act upon such requisition.

That if the Board desired to have committee meetings to attend to such matters that rules should be prescribed for the same. That the action of two members of the committee would constitute the action of the committee itself.

That committees were not recognized under the law, but were part of the internal regulations prescribed by the rules of the Board of Supervisors for convenience in handling the business and exercising the powers vested in them under the law. That where requisitions were granted and the matter was referred to a committee, and subsequently the action of the committee was ratified by the payment of the bill which was incurred by virtue of said action of the Board, that no other action need to be taken as to the ordering the bill passed by the Board of Supervisors would be a complete ratification of the action of the committee.

The roll was called and the resolution lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Roeth and Wells—2.

Noes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Chairman Talcott—3.

INFIRMARY CONTRACTS LET TO E. B. STONE.

Supervisor Roeth then called the District Attorney's attention to the fact that a short time ago the Board had awarded a certain contract to E. B. Stone, but that prior to the award of said contract to Stone certain members of the Board had told Mr. Stone to go ahead with the work. That as a matter of fact, Stone had commenced a portion of the work which was awarded by contract subsequently by the Board of Supervisors. Supervisor Roeth asked the District Attorney if this was a proper method for the Board of Supervisors to pursue.

District Attorney Snook reported in substance as follows:

That no one or two members or any number of members of the Board of Supervisors, unless in session as a Board, were authorized to award contracts to any person, and as to the work contracted any authorization thereof was in fact no contract until the Board acting as such awarded the same.

If the work had been commenced under the previous authorization of the members of the Board not acting as such, and there were no necessary forms prescribed by law for the Board to pursue for the awarding of the contract, the action of the Board of Supervisors in subsequently awarding the contract as in the case above cited would in effect be a ratification of said unauthorized action of the members of the Board. Ratification can be had in many ways. In this case it was by the award of the contract.

It might have been by a subsequent ordering the bill for the work paid. This ratification must, however, always depend upon the question whether or not the Board was vested with power to have certain work performed without any particular form having been followed. It must also be within the jurisdiction of the [Board] not proper, as similar cases have been upheld by the Supreme Court of this State.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business to transact, the Board adjourned to meet Monday, May 10th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

J. R. TALCOTT,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.

Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

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—AT—

OAKLAND

SIXTEENTH STREET STATION.

Leave	From May 1, 1897.	Arrive
7:41 a	Atlantic Express, Ogden and East	8:04 p
7:41 a	Benicia, Sacramento, Oroville and Redding via Davis	5:14 p
7:41 a	Vacaville and Rumsey	8:04 p
8.04 a	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon	5:45 p
9:37 a	New Orleans Express, Fresno, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and the East	4:09 p
9:37 a	Martinez and Stockton	4:09 p
9:37 a	Vallejo	11:45 a
†2:01 p	Port Costa and way stations	7:14 p
4:34 p	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon	8:45 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	9:14 a
......	Port Costa, Martinez, Lathrop, Stockton, Merced and Fresno	11:45 a
5:39 p	Los Angeles Express, Tracy, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	7:04 a
6:39 p	Santa Fe Route, Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	7:04 a
6:40 p	European Mail, Ogden and East	9:13 a
‡8:36 p	Vallejo	†7:14 p
8.36 p	Oregon Express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	7:14 a
	NILES ROUTE. First Street Near Broadway.	
6:36 a	Via Seventh St., Niles, San Jose and way stations	......
9:10 a	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Sacramento, Marysville and Red Bluff	3:37 p
*9:10 a	Peters and Milton	*6:39 p
1:30 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	6:39 p
......	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:39 p
5:09 p	Lathrop, Stockton, Modesto, Merced, Raymond (for Yosemite) and Fresno	......
6:40 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

A for morning. P. for afternoon.
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7:35, 8:30, *9:00, 9.30, *10:00, 10:30, *11:00, 11:30 a. m.; *12:00, 12:30, *1:00, 1:30, *2:00, 2.30 *3.00, 3:30, *4:00, 4 30, *5.00, 5:30, *6:00, 6:30, *7.00, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 p. m.

*Saturdays and Sundays only.

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While making up your mind where you will go and concocting your itinerary, keep as many as possible of these places before your minds eye

Up Shasta Way—Tavern of Castle Crags, Sweet Brier Camp, Upper Soda Springs, Shasta Retreat, Shasta Springs, Sisson's, Mt. Shasta Camp, Klamath Hot Springs.

Lake County and Vicinity—Geysers, Ætna Springs, Harbin, Anderson, Adams, Howard, Siegler, Highland and Bartlett Springs Glenbrook, Soda Bay

On Sierra Summits—Lake Tahoe, Independence Webber and Donner Lakes, Tallac Deer Park Inn, Sunnyside McKinney's, Rubicon Springs, Campbell Hot Springs and a score more.

Yosemite and the Big Trees—

Santa Cruz Mountains—Los Gatos Pacific Congress Springs, Glenwood, Felton, Ben Lomond, Boulder Creek

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Resolution No. 22,912 Ordering the Work.—Resolved, That the public interest and convenience require the work herein described, and the Council of the city of Oakland hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, or as contained in its Ordinance No. 1422, approved May 12th, A. D. 1892, to-wit:

That Lee street, in said city, from the easterly line of Vernon street to the westerly line of Adams street, be graded, curbed with wood and macadamized with class "C" macadam, gutters to be three feet wide of broken rock and grouted.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to publish this Resolution for two days, and notice of said work inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing the work and referring to the specifications posted or on file, also for two days, both in the Oakland Tribune, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, hereby designated for that purpose. Said notice shall require a certified check or a bond, either as prescribed by law, and for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal. He is also directed to post said notice with specifications conspicuously for five days on or near the Council chamber door.

Adopted May 3rd, 1897, by the said Coun-[illegible]

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IN THE MATTER OF

Opening

A STREET THROUGH

CEMETERY CREEK CANON

Street Superintendent's Notice Requiring Payment of Assessment.

Office of the Superintendent of Streets, Oakland, Cal., May 6th, 1897.

In compliance with law, notice is hereby given that on May 5th, 1897, I received from the City Clerk of the city of Oakland, and the Clerk of the City Council of said city, a certified copy of the written report, assessment and plat accompanying the same, made by the commissioners appointed by the City Council of the city of Oakland, to assess benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canon from 24th street to the northern boundary line of the city of Oakland, also the lands to be assessed for said improvement in said city, which said report, assessment and plat were filed by said commissioners, March 11th, 1897, and passed upon, confirmed, approved and adopted (after notice given of the day fixed for hearing upon said report) by said City Council at a meeting thereof held on the third day of May, 1897, and that the assessment therein contained is now due and payable, and is a lien upon all the property contained and described therein as therein assessed for its proportion for the cost of said improvement as shown by said assessment.

Notice is also given, that all sums levied and assessed in and by said assessment roll are due and payable immediately, and that the payment of each of said sums respectively is to be made to me within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: thirty days from May 6th, 1897, and that all assessments not paid before the expiration of said thirty days will become and will be declared to be delinquent, and that thereafter the sum of five (5) per cent upon the amount of each delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising each delinquent assessment, will be added thereto.

Dated May 6th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland and Street Superintendent of the city of Oakland.

ORDER OF SALE OF INSOLVENT'S PROPERTY.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Christian Sauer, an insolvent debtor.

Order of sale of insolvent's property.

Upon reading and filing the petition of G. H. Parry, assignee of the estate of Christian Sauer, an insolvent debtor, praying for an order to sell real estate belonging to said estate, and it appearing to the Court that it is necessary to sell all the real estate of said insolvent debtor, vested in the assignee.

It is ordered that said assignee sell at public auction, giving ten days' previous notice thereof by publication in the Fresno Republican, a newspaper published in the county of Fresno, and also in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper published in said Alameda county, of the time, place and conditions of said sale, all the said real estate; that said property be sold to the highest bidder for cash; that if the said property be not disposed of upon the day fixed in the said notice of sale, then the sale may be continued from day to day until all said property is disposed of. The following is a description of the real estate belonging to said insolvent debtor's estate which is ordered to be sold, situated in the county of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number 15 in block number 8 of the Altamont Addition to the City of Fresno according to the official map of the same now on file in the office of the County Recorder of Fresno county. Subject to confirmation of this Court.

Upon any sale being made, the assignee shall execute to the purchaser all necessary conveyance and bills of sale.

Done in open Court.

JOHN ELLSWORTH,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Dated April 26th, 1897.
Filed April 28th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.
By JOHN A. ROBINSON, Deputy Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance requiring the disinfection and fumigation of residences and other places where contagious diseases have existed.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

Wherever any case of smallpox, diphtheria, scarlatina, Asiatic cholera, tuberculosis or other contagious disease has existed in any building or other place within the city of Oakland, it shall be the duty of the householder or proprietor of such place, or, if such place has ceased to be occupied, then of the owner thereof, to immediately and thoroughly fumigate and disinfect said premises in the manner and to such extent as the Health Department may direct. The fumigation and disinfection to be done at the expense of the city.

SECTION II.

Every person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars, and in case such fine be not paid, then the person so fined shall be imprisoned at the rate of one day for every two dollars of the fine so imposed and remaining unpaid.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes — Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton and President Pringle—10.

Noes—Mr. Watkinson—1.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

Notice of filing report of Commissioners in the matter of opening and widening Athol avenue from the eastern line of Newton avenue to the northwestern line of Watson avenue.

City Clerk's office, Oakland, Cal., May 4th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening and widening Athol avenue from the eastern line of Newton avenue to the northwestern line of Watson avenue, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1794, have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages, together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions.

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office, and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause, if any, why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council, by the filing of written objections thereto with the said [illegible]

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ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15, 1897, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1897

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 15th, 1897, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1897

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1897, is now due and payable at the Assessor's office, room one Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Section 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3840 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance ordering the opening and widening of East 21st street between 16th avenue and a line parallel with and 296.5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue, and appointing three Commissioners to have general supervision of the proposed work.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows

SECTION I.

Whereas, The said Council did, on the 16th day of November, 1896 adopt its Resolution of Intention No 22,586 declaring its intention to order the following work and improvement to be made, to-wit: That East Twenty-first street, in the city of Oakland, be opened and widened between the western line of Sixteenth avenue and a line parallel with and 296.5 feet easterly at right angles from the eastern line of Thirteenth avenue describing the work to be done and the land and premises deemed necessary to be taken therefor, and specifying the exterior boundaries of the lands to be affected and benefited by said work and improvement, and to be assessed to pay the damages, costs and expenses thereof, and

Whereas, The Street Superintendent of the city of Oakland did thereupon cause notice of the passage of said Resolution to be posted and published for ten days in the manner and as required by law; and

Whereas, More than ten days have elapsed after the expiration of the time of publication of said notice, and no objections have been made or filed to the work therein referred to, and the Council has acquired jurisdiction to order said work to be done, now therefore it is hereby ordered that said work and improvement be done as aforesaid referred to, and in said Resolution of Intention specially described.

SECTION II.

Chas. H. Daly, Samuel C. Swift and F. E Bunker are hereby appointed Commissioners to assess benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement until the completion thereof in compliance with law.

SECTION III.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately

In Council, Oakland, Cal, May 3rd, 1897

Passed to print by the following vote.

Ayes—Messrs Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None

Absent—None.

Attest J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

Notice of Sale of Insolvent Property.

In the Superior Court, County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Christian Sauer, in insolvency

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of Alameda County, duly made and entered, I will sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon of Tuesday, May 11th, 1897, at the steps of the Court House of Alameda County, in the City of Oakland, all the right, title and interest of the above named insolvent in and to that certain lot and parcel of land situate in Fresno County, State of California, and described as follows:

Lot number 15 in block No. nine of the Altamont Addition to the City of Fresno.

G. H PERRY,
Assignee of Christian Sauer, in insolvency.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Susan Almira Hall, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Susan Almira Hall, deceased, and for the issuance to Clarence Henry Hall and Hubbard Kitchel Hall of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of May, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated April 24th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

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ANNEXATION ELECTION

ORDINANCE NO. ——

An Ordinance Providing for a Special Election, to determine whether the Boundaries of the City of Oakland shall be altered and New Territory Annexed and made a part of said City.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

Whereas, a petition in writing, signed by more than one-fifth of the qualified electors of the City of Oakland, as shown by and compared with and computed upon the number of votes cast at the last general municipal election held in said city, has been received by this Council and filed with the records of its proceedings, in which said petition it is asked and proposed by the petitioners that the boundaries of said city be so altered and enlarged as to include therein and annexed to and be incorporated in and included in said city the new territory which is described in said petition and is hereinafter described, and in which it is further asked and proposed that there be submitted to the electors of said city and the electors residing in said new territory, proposed by such petition to be so annexed to said city, the question whether said new territory shall be annexed to and incorporated in and made a part of said city, and in which it is further asked and proposed that said question of such annexation of said new territory shall be submitted at a special election, to be held for that purpose, after legal notice, given thereof, as provided by law, which said new territory proposed and asked to be annexed to the City of Oakland is all that certain piece, parcel and extent of land and territory situate in Oakland Township and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland 150 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of San Pablo avenue, and measured at a right angle thereto, said beginning point being also the southeast corner of the Town of Emeryville, and running thence in a northerly direction along the easterly boundary line of the Town of Emeryville to the center line of Temescal creek, thence in a westerly direction following the center line of the bed of Temescal creek—being also the boundary line of the Town of Emeryville in said creek—to a point 730 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of San Pablo avenue measured at a right angle thereto, thence along the easterly line of the said Town of Emeryville in a northerly direction, running parallel with and 730 feet distant westerly from said line of San Pablo avenue to the southern boundary line of the Town of Berkeley, thence easterly following the boundary line of the Town of Berkeley to a point on said boundary line of the Town of Berkeley 125 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of College avenue—also known as College way—and measured at a right angle to said line of College avenue, thence in a southerly direction on a line parallel with and 125 feet distant westerly from said line of College avenue a distance of 1600 feet, thence at a right angle to said line of College avenue in an easterly direction to and across said College avenue to a point 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of said College avenue and measured at a right angle thereto, thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue and its extension and measured at a right angle thereto, to a point on the southerly line of Clifton street, as said street is laid down, delineated and so designated on a map entitled Map of Rock Ridge, etc., filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda county on August 4th, 1879, thence in an easterly direction along said line of Clifton street to the westerly line of McAdam street, as delineated and so designated on aforesaid Map of Rock Ridge, thence in a direct line due south to the line dividing plots Nos 13 and 15, as said plots are delineated and so designated on a map entitled Map of the Rancho of Vicente and Domingo Peralta, etc, filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda county on January 21st, 1857, said plot line is the western boundary line of the St. Mary's Cemetery, thence along said plot line in a southwesterly direction to the most western corner of said plot No 15, thence in a southeasterly direction following the line dividing plots Nos. 14 and 15 as shown on map of aforesaid ranchos (the last named plot line being the southwesterly boundary of the St Mary's and Mountain View Cemeteries) to the westerly line of Piedmont Sanitary District thence following the boundary line of Piedmont Sanitary District in a southerly and then in a southeasterly direction to its intersection with the said northern boundary line of the City of Oakland and thence in a westerly direction along the said boundary line of the City of Oakland to the place of beginning

Therefore it is hereby ordained that the question of such annexation of said new territory to the City of Oakland, and to become a part thereof, be and the same is hereby submitted to the electors of the present City of Oakland, and to the electors residing in the territory so proposed to be annexed which submission shall be at a special election to be held for that purpose in said City of Oakland and in said new territory

SECTION II.

A special election for the purpose of determining the question submitted by Section I of this Ordinance, is hereby called and shall be held in the City of Oakland, and in said territory proposed to be annexed thereto, on 10th day of June, 1897

And the voting precincts, and the places in such precincts at which the polls will be opened in the City of Oakland and in the territory so proposed to be annexed, are hereby established and designated as follows, and the following named persons, electors in their respective precincts, are hereby appointed officers of election, to act as such in the respective precinct and polling place preceding their names, to-wit:

IN THE CITY OF OAKLAND.

FIRST WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows.

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Wood street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the south and west by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—No. 1759 Seventh street.

Judges—J. A. Towne and Henry Schmidt.

Inspector—Tobias Feehan.

FIRST WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the center line of Campbell street and extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Wood street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.

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Judges—J. V. Powers and Henry Beales.
Inspector—John Mallett.

FIRST WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, on the east by the the center line of Center street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Campbell street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 1461 Seventh street.

Judges—P. J. Quinlan and W. C. Fleischauer.

Inspector—J. F. Hanley.

FIRST WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the east by a line described as follows Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street with the center line of Peralta street, thence southerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Center street, thence southerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, bounded on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the said charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—No. 1237 Peralta street.

Judges—J. C. Bullock and George Janvrin

Inspector—M. J. O'Dea.

SECOND WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Adeline street; on the south by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westwardly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—Northeast corner Thirty-fourth and Peralta streets.

Judges—Daniel Teehan and John Paul Hannigan

Inspector—G. W. Smith.

SECOND WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the east by the center line of Cemetery creek, being the old charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by a line described as follows: Beginning at a point where the said Cemetery creek is intersected by the center line of Prospect street, thence westerly along the center line of Prospect street and the center line of Caledonia street to the center line of Grove street, thence southerly along the center line of Grove street to the center line of Wallace or Twenty-eighth street; thence westerly along the center line of said Wallace or Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Adeline street, and bounded on the west by the center line of Adeline street.

Location of polling place—Northwest corner Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue.

Judges—F. W. Little and Charles Fawcett.

Inspector—F. L. Cotton.

SECOND WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Wallace or Twenty-eighth street; on the east by the center line of Grove street, on the south by the center line of Charter or Twenty-second (22d) street, and on the west by the center line of Adeline street.

Location or polling place—No. 1329 San Pablo avenue.

Judges—George Taylor and James Sullivan

Inspector T. W. Stokes.

SECOND WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Caledonia street intersects the center line of Grove street; thence easterly along the center line of Caledonia street and the center line of Prospect street to the center line of Cemetery creek, being the old charter line of the City of Oakland, thence northerly along said Cemetery creek to a point where said Cemetery creek is intersected by the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland to its intersection with the dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships, thence southerly and westerly along said dividing line to the old charter line of said city, thence westerly along said old charter line to the center of the western arm of Lake Merritt, thence northerly along the center of said arm to the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second street extended easterly; thence westerly to and along the center line of said Walnut or Twenty-second street to the center line of Telegraph avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence westerly to the center line of Grove street thence northerly along the center line of Grove street to the point of beginning.

Location of polling place—818 Telegraph avenue.

Judges—Ben Marston and N. Collins.

Inspector—B. F. Armstrong.

THIRD WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Third ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; on the east by the center line of Market street; on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, and on the west by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Center street, thence northerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Peralta street, thence northerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street.

Location of polling place—N. E. corner Fourteenth and Adeline streets.

Judges—William Gross and H. J. Eaton.

Inspector—B. Maloon.

THIRD WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Third ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Market street, thence northerly along the center line of Market street to the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street to the center line of Brush street, thence southerly along the center line of Brush street to the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street, thence easterly along the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street to the center line of Jefferson street, thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, and thence westerly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) street to the place of beginning.

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Judges—J. I. Palmer and C. R. Lewis.
Inspector—E. T. Thurston Sr.

THIRD WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Brush street with the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street to the center line of Telegraph avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street, thence westerly along the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street to the center of Brush street, and thence northerly along the center line of Brush street to the place of beginning

Location of polling place—No. 414 San Pablo avenue.

Judges—William Gall and P. A. Cameron.

Inspector—J. S. Burpee.

FOURTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Center street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 1250 Seventh street.

Judges—G. W. Hoguet and L. Kriemberg.

Inspector—Louis Scheeline.

FOURTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Market street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line of the City of Oakland; on the west by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 974 Seventh street.

Judges—D. Danahey and John Muller.
Inspector—James Kelly.

FOURTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Adeline street with the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; thence easterly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) street to the center line of Jefferson street; thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the center line of Castro street; thence southerly along the center line of Castro street and its extension to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence westerly along said charter line to extension southerly of the center line of Market street; thence northerly to and along the center line of Market street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the center line of Adeline street, and thence northerly along the center line of Adeline street to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 852 Market street.

Judges—Owen Feeney and James Shanley.

Inspector—M. H. Bernheim.

FOURTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT

All that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street; on the east by the center line of Jefferson street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the charter line, and on the west by the center line of Castro street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 673 Seventh street.

Judges—R. Wainwright and George Kirk.

Inspector—Richard Orme.

FIFTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows.

Beginning at a point where the center line of Broadway street intersects the center line of Tenth (10th) street, thence northerly along the center line of Broadway street to the center line of Delger or Twentieth street, thence easterly along the center line of Delger or Twentieth street to the old charter line of the City of Oakland in the northwest arm of Lake Merritt, thence northerly along said old charter line to its intersection with the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second street if extended easterly; thence westerly to and along the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second street to the center line of Telegraph avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street; thence westerly along the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street to the center line of Jefferson street, thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street, and thence easterly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—1159 Washington street.

Judges—R. Balmforth and Arthur Jones.
Inspector—W. B. Jones.

FIFTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakalnd bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Delger or Twentieth street and its extension easterly to the old charter line of the City of Oakland, and by the said old charter line of the City of Oakland, on the east by the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn township; on the south by the center line of Thirteenth (13th) street and its extension easterly to the said township line, and on the west by the center line of Broadway.

Location of polling place—Northwest corner of Webster and Fourteenth streets.

Judges—S. A. Cohen and R. Rosenberg.
Inspector—J. C. Alexander.

FIFTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Fifth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Thirteenth (13th) street and its extension easterly to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships, on the east by said line dividing said townships; on the south by the center line of Tenth (10th) street and its extension easterly to said township line, and on the west by the center line of Broadway street.

Location of polling place—Schellhaas' store, Eleventh and Franklin streets.

Judges—James Eddie and V. R. Remmer.

Inspector—M. J. O'Gara.

SIXTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line

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extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of Jefferson street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—No. 508 Seventh street.

Judges—John Bodell and Frank Barnett.

Inspector—M. K. Houghton.

SIXTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Seventh (7th) street, on the east by the center line of Harrison street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Washington street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Location of polling place—722 Webster street.

Judges—W. H. Rodgers and J. H. Martin.

Inspector—J. J. Lerri.

SIXTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street, on the east by the center line of Webster street, on the south by the center line of Seventh (7th) street, and on the west by the center line of Washington street.

Location of polling place—No. 407 Eighth street.

Judges—T. W. Baily and O. Page.

Inspector—James Hackett.

SIXTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street and its extension easterly to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships on the east by said township line, on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by a line described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Webster street intersects the center line of Tenth street, thence southerly along the center line of Webster street to the center line of Seventh (7th) street, thence easterly along the center line of Seventh (7th) street to the center line of Harrison street, and thence southerly along the center line of Harrison street to the charter line of the City of Oakland

Location of polling place—Pumyea's stable, Eighth and Alice streets.

Judges—Caesar Isaacs and J. W. Bonsack.

Inspector—George Atkinson.

SEVENTH WARD—FIRST PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning where the center line of Eighth avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly to and along the center line of Eighth avenue to the center line of Twenty-eighth (28th) street, thence westerly along the center line of Twenty-eighth (28th) street to the center line of Matthew avenue; thence northeasterly along the center of Matthew avenue to the center of Hopkins street; thence easterly along the center line of Hopkins street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of Millbury street at the southeast corner of the lands of John Hampel; thence northwesterly along the southern line of the lands of John Hampel to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships, thence southwesterly and southerly along said township line to the charter line on the southern boundary of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along said charter line to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 277 East Twelfth street.

Judges—Eugene Warren and C. D. Hayes.

Inspector—S. J. Pringle.

SEVENTH WARD—SECOND PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in in the City of Oakland, described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Eighth avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect the charter line of the City of Oakland, thence northerly to and along the center line of Eighth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth (28th) street; thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Matthew avenue, thence northeasterly along the center line of Matthew avenue to the center line of Hopkins street; thence easterly along the center line of Hopkins street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street, thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center of Eleventh (11th) avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Eleventh (11th) avenue to the center line of East Eighteenth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Eighteenth street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue to the center line of East Twelfth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Twelfth street to the center line of Commerce street, thence southerly along the center line of Commerce street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence westerly along said charter line to the place of beginning.

Location of polling place—No. 580 East Twelfth street.

Judges—J. M. Sabin and Edw. Reid.

Inspector—H. S. Tuttle.

SEVENTH WARD—THIRD PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Millbury street with the center line of Thirteenth avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street, thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Eleventh (11th) avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Eleventh avenue to the center line of East Eighteenth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Eighteenth street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue thence southerly along the center line of Twelfth avenue to the center line of East Twelfth street; thence easterly along the center line of East Twelfth street to the center line of Commerce street; thence southerly along the center line of Commerce street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence easterly along said charter line to where the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect said charter line; thence northerly to and along the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue to the center line of Fourteenth (14th) avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Fourteenth avenue to the southern boundary line of the Lynn homestead; thence easterly along the said line of said Lynn homestead to the charter line of the City of Oakland; thence northerly, easterly and thence northerly following the said charter line to the intersection of Sausal creek with the eastern extension of the northern boundary line of the City of Oakland; thence westerly along said extension of said boundary line to its intersection with the dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence southwesterly along said dividing line to

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land of Hampel to the point of beginning

Location of polling place—No. 1105 Thirteenth avenue.

Judges—Jeff Gillan and George H. Voss.
Inspector—Paul Wuthe.

SEVENTH WARD—FOURTH PRECINCT.

All that portion of the Seventh ward in the City of Oakland described as follows:

Bounded on the north by the southern boundary of the Lynn homestead; on the east and south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of Nineteenth (19th) avenue and by that portion of Commerce street lying northerly from Nineteenth street.

Location of polling place—No. 1105 Twenty-third avenue.

Judges—W. H. Brown and H. B. Witt.
Inspector—H. S. Knapp.

IN ANNEXED TERRITORY.

The entire territory proposed to be annexed and as above specifically described is established as five election precincts, and the polling places in such precincts are hereby fixed and designated at the following places, to-wit:

GOLDEN GATE PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of all that portion of Oakland township bounded and described as follows: All that territory bounded on the west by the eastern charter line of the Town of Emeryville, on the north by the southern charter line of the Town of Berkeley, on the east by the center line of Adeline street, on the south by Temescal creek.

Location of polling place—Klinkner block, corner of San Pablo avenue and Klinkner avenue.

Judges of election—Peter Norberg and W. B Firman.

Inspector—J. M. Page.

PERALTA PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows: All that territory bounded on the north by the charter line of the Town of Berkeley, on the east by a line described as follows: Commencing at a point in the charter line of the Town of Berkeley 125 feet distant westerly from the westerly line of College avenue—also known as College way—and measured at a right angle to said line of College avenue, thence in a southerly direction on a line parallel with and 125 feet distant westerly from said line of College avenue a distance of 1600 feet, thence at a right angle to said line of College avenue in an easterly direction to and across said College avenue to a point 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of said College avenue and measured at a right angle thereto, thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, to its intersection with the center line of Temescal creek, bounded on the south by the center line of Temescal creek, and on the west by the center line of Adeline street.

Location of polling place—Store of M. P. Manning, N. W. corner of Canning street and Harlow avenue.

Judges of election—J. R. McGregor and H. C. Babcock.

Inspector—C. Scoville.

TEMESCAL PRECINCT NO. 1.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:

All that territory bounded on the north by the center line of Temescal creek, bounded on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning where the center line of Telegraph avenue intersects the charter line of the City of Oakland, running thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Shattuck avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Shattuck avenue to the center line of Temescal creek; bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the charter line of the Town of Emeryville.

Location of polling place—Vacant store, N. s. 45th street, 150 feet west of Grove street.

Judges—Frank Valerga, Geo. S. Naismith.

Inspector—Chas. E. Proctor.

TEMESCAL PRECINCT NO. 2.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:

All that territory bounded on the north by the center line of Temescal creek; on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning at a point in the center line of Temescal creek, distant 275 feet easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, measured at a right angle thereto, thence running in a southerly direction along a line parallel with and 275 feet distant easterly from the easterly line of College avenue, and its extension, measured at a right angle thereto to a point on the southerly line of Clifton street, thence in a westerly direction along the southerly line of Clifton street to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Broadway, thence southerly along the southeasterly line of Broadway to its intersection with the charter line of the City of Oakland; bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the west by a line described as follows. Beginning where the center line of Telegraph avenue intersects the charter line of the City of Oakland, running thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Shattuck avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Shattuck avenue to the center line of Temescal creek.

Location of polling place—Pedrini's store, 2032 Telegraph avenue.

Judges—P. Swords and R. B. Nixon.
Inspector—W. B. Moody.

PIEDMONT PRECINCT.

Which shall consist of that portion of Oakland township bounded as follows:

Bounded on the west by the southeasterly line of Broadway, on the north and east by a line described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the southeasterly line of Broadway with the southerly line of Clifton street, and running thence in an easterly direction along said line of Clifton street to the westerly line of McAdam street, thence in a direct line due south to the line dividing plots Nos 13 and 15 as said plots are delineated and so designated upon a map entitled Map of the Rancho of Vicente and Domingo Peralta etc, filed in the office of the Recorder of Alameda county on January 21st, 1857, said plot line is the western boundary line of the St. Mary's Cemetery, thence along said plot line in a southwesterly direction to the most western corner of said plot No. 15, thence in a southeasterly direction following the line dividing plots Nos 14 and 15, as shown on map of aforesaid ranchos (the last named plot line being the southwesterly boundary of the St Mary's and Mountain View Cemeteries) to the westerly line of Piedmont Sanitary district, thence following the boundary line of Piedmont Sanitary District in a southerly and then in a southeasterly direction to its intersection with the said northern boundary line of the City of Oakland, bounded on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

Location of polling place—Store of J. T. Hawley, N. E. corner of Piedmont and Glen avenues.

Judges—E. Rufus Hill and Geo. W. Kelly.

Inspector—C. H. Starkweather.

SECTION III.

It is hereby ordered that notice of said election be given, and the Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to give notice thereof, by the publication of a notice

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preceding the date of such election in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said City of Oakland, and in the Alameda Daily Argus, a newspaper printed and published outside of the said City of Oakland, but within the said County of Alameda, to-wit: in Alameda, which notice shall distinctly state the proposition so to be submitted as in this Ordinance before specified, shall designate specifically the boundaries of the territory so proposed to be annexed, and shall invite the qualified electors of said City of Oakland, and the qualified electors residing in said new territory so proposed to be annexed, to vote upon the proposition of said proposed annexation, by placing upon their ballots the words. "FOR ANNEXATION" or "AGAINST ANNEXATION" as the electors respectively may be in favor of or against such annexation.

The polls for such election shall be opened at sunrise of the morning of said day of election and shall be kept open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, when the polls shall be closed.

SECTION IV.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print for five days by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 4th, 1897.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

VESTA M. COLBY, Plaintiff,
vs.
AMOS ROBERTS, et al, Defendants,
No. 13,8?4.

Under and by virtue of an Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1897, in the above entitled action, wherein Vesta M. Colby, the above named plaintiff, obtained a Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale against Amos Roberts, Edward Wolfskill, George W. Hall, William H. Leathers, Frank A. Roberts, Elizabeth Ernst, E. N. Walter, and the San Joaquin Lumber Company (a corporation), defendants, on the 16th day of April, A. D. 1897, for the sum of Twenty-one thousand seven hundred and twenty-two and 85-100 dollars, in United States gold coin, including principal, costs, attorney's fees and interest to the date of said judgment, besides interest thereon from the date of said decree, which said Judgment and Decree was, on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1897, recorded in Judgment Book 23 of said Court, at page 99, I am commanded to sell all that real property situate in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows:

Lots number eleven (11) to eighteen (18), both numbers inclusive, in Block "G"; lots number ten (10) to twenty-nine (29), both numbers inclusive, in Block "I"; lots numbers ten (10) to thirteen (13), both numbers inclusive, in Block "U"; all of Blocks "V," "W" and "X"; lots numbers ten (10) to twenty-one (21) in Block "J"; lots thirteen (13) to seventeen (17), both numbers inclusive, in Block "Q"; also that tract of land bounded on the north by the southerly lines of lots twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), twenty (20) and twenty-one (21), in Block "J"; on the east by the westerly lines of lots 11 to 17, both inclusive, in Block "W"; on the south by the northerly lines of lots 1 to 8, both inclusive, in Block "W"; on the west by the easterly lines of lots 9 and 10, of Block "M" and lot 20 of Block "J," also on the west by the easterly terminus of Lily street, as said lots, blocks and said street are so numbered, laid down and delineated and designated on a certain map entitled "Map No. 3 of the Roberts & Wolfskill Tract, Oakland Township, Alameda County, California," filed in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, California, December 20th, 1887. Lots 13 to 17 in Block "Q," above mentioned, are bounded on the north by the southerly line of Yolo street; on the south by the northerly line of property of Vesta M. Colby—Which lines unite at the easterly terminus of said lot 17 and in the westerly line of Colby street.

Public notice is hereby given that on

TUESDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1897,

At 1 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House, of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, April 24th, 1897.

W S. HARLOW,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

NYE & KINSELL, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

ORDINANCE NO—An Ordinance changing the names of certain streets in the city of Oakland.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

The names of the following streets are respectively changed, and shall be known and designated as follows:

Taylor street, extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Ninth street.

Seward street, extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Tenth street.

Lincoln street, extending from Peralta street westerly, changed to Eleventh street.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., May 3rd, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Fibush, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—11.

Noes—None.

Absent—None.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

Resolution of Intention No. 22,8?5.—Resolved, That it is the intention of the Council of the city of Oakland to order the following street work to be done, to-wit:

That Eighth avenue in said city, from the northern curb line of East 11th street to the southern curb line of East 12th street, be sidewalked on both sides with cement walks six feet in width to the official line and grade where not already done in cement or bitumen; also that circular corners be constructed at each crossing where not already done.

The Oakland Tribune is hereby designated as the daily newspaper, published and circulated in said city, in which this Resolution of Intention shall be published for two days, and the notice thereof for six days, as often as said newspaper is issued therein. The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to publish therein and post this Resolution for two days conspicuously on or near the chamber door of said Council.

Adopted May 3rd, 1897, by the said Council and approved by the Mayor of said city May 5th, 1897.

Oakland, May 7th, 1897.

THE VAGABOND

Once the Pride of Paris.

Translated from the French—By Martha Lafitte Vieira in Romance.

The day in question was one of the hottest of hot days The mid-day sun beamed down in torrid rays, and the Correctional of the Palais-de-Justice de Villefranche was simply stifling Not a breath of air came through the blinds of the court room, the sky was cloudless and the dry leaves hung motionless upon the chestnut trees of the Grande-Place. The heaviness of the atmosphere oppressed the judges who leaned wearily upon their desks, and, while perspiring from every pore the lookers on listened listlessly to the different cases being tried

President Bouchard had hurried through three or four or five cases and thought his work at an end for the day when suddenly Rivaille, the court crier, dragged himself to his feet and with effort called in a husky voice.

"Antoine-Jean."

As he said the words, a huge fellow, the very type of a good for nothing, entered He was covered from head to foot, despite the heat, with a sort of yellow cloak of the most nondescript order, the origin of which must have dated back into the dark ages The man advanced slowly and gazed before him with an air of sublime indifference His hair was long, unkempt, one mass of tangle, and gray in color, as was also his long beard In appearance the worthy—or rather unworthy—Antoine-Jean was a complete poem of misery, a vision of dirt and dust together with a half famished look that appealed if not to sympathy at least to pity—an attribute so akin to contempt In spite of the general unsightliness of the prisoner, the expression of his face afforded the greatest study of all, being a singular combination of intelligence and worthlessness, together with a certain which indicated a past that accorded ill with the present.

It would have been no easy task to decide whether an old or young man stood in the worn-out shoes and tattered garments, for while his hair was gray, his form was erect, even stately, and his eyes large, piercing and keen

"Your name?" demanded the president in a weary tone, scarcely glancing in the direction of the prisoner

"Antoine-Jean"

"Your profession?"

"My what, your honor?"

"Your profession," repeated M Bouchard.

"Capitalist," responded his listener, turning his trouser pockets inside out

Accustomed as he was to receiving fantastic replies, the president was in no humor for jest. The heat was overpowering and he looked sternly at the prisoner.

"Your jest is ill-timed. Respect the Court."

The man addressed appeared quietly amused; he smiled but made no reply. His blue eyes riveted upon the face of his judge. He seemed to take pleasure in the study and he to care little for the stern expression noted and which might herald an imprisonment of eleven or more months in jail Of eight months he felt sure; this view of the case being drawn from his experience before half the tribunals of France

"Well, Antoine-Jean, I have examined your case," continued the president, "and this is what I find——"

'It is useless, Monsieur le President, interrupted the prisoner. I know the old story, being quite as well informed as yourself, I would suggest Your Honor"——

"Silence!" was the command given and, shrugging his shoulders, the prisoner assumed an air of indifference

"This is what I find," resumed the President, adjusting his spectacles on the bridge of his nose. 'You were condemned at Tonnerre for vagabondage You were condemned for two months Three months at Dijon for the same reason, four months at Sancerre idem, again at Bourges, to La Charite, at Nevers, etc, etc I see that you have made a complete tour of France, and now return doubtless to the place where you started from."

"Yes, Your Honor."

"Eight months at Orange, nine months at Valence, ten at Ville-franche. Always vagabondage Antoine-Jean, what have you to say for yourself?"

"Nothing to you, Monsieur le President," replied the accused, calmly. "But to you, my old Bouchard, I will tell all"

By a singular phenomenon, a simple phrase spoken in a low tone may arouse a sleeping memory more completely than a salvo of artillery. That such is the case is a mystery. What is very certain is that these few words fell from the lips of the vagabond, the audience was strangely moved The two judges were filled with indignation that the outcast should dare thus to address the Court, and throughout the audience confusion reigned until a stentorian voice was heard calling "order"

"My old Bouchard!" There was in those three words at least one year of imprisonment The president, aroused from his astonishment, turned toward the man whose voice was heard again, this time there was no sardonic ring to offend, it was low and almost tearful.

"Bouchard! Bouchard!' do you not remember Rabelais?'

To all present it was a clear case, the man was insane and severity was out of place Thus the judges and the president would regard the affair

President Bouchard looked fixedly at the speaker for an instant, then in a gentle voice he said "Be seated"

After a short colloquy with the judges to the surprise of all present, M. Bouchard said

"Two months, remove the prisoner"

The gaze of the curious turned toward the vagabond as with an air of careless indifference he walked out of the court room accompanied by the officer

The court adjourned, and President Bouchard in his long coat, high hat, cane and gloves descended thoughtfully the steps of the Palais-de-Justice. His brow was knit and he seemed oppressed with thoughts. Exchanging a few words with the judges who hurried on, Bouchard paused for an instant as though irresolute and then, retracing his steps, he entered the corridor leading to the room where during trials the prisoners were held The keeper was standing at the door smoking his pipe and was greatly surprised to see the president approach.

Bouchard was known to be a man of rigid principles, but of kind heart and more than once when he had left the bench and could put aside the duties of judge he would visit the prisoners and offer them words of encouragement

The old guardian removed his pipe and raised his velvet cap respectfully, and with a military salute awaited to be addressed by his visitor.

"Perrin," said M. Bouchard, "among the prisoners of today there is one named Antoine-Jean"

"Yes, Monsieur le President."

"I desire to interview him'

"Nothing easier. If Monsieur le President will do me the honor"——

"No," interrupted M' Bouchard. "It is in my own house that I wish to question the man. Have the kindness to bring him to me" He hesitated an instant, trying doubtless to name an hour when he would be disengaged. "At five o'clock," he added hurriedly. "Bring the man yourself."

Perrin promised, although surprised by so unusual a request.

At five o'clock President Bouchard, still thoughtful but nervously impatient, walked to and fro in his library The blinds were carefully drawn down, permitting only a few rays of sunlight to penetrate At length the bell rang and M Bouchard seated himself quickly in his arm chair as was habitual to him, his countenance grew composed and once more he was the stern judge.

A confused noise was heard without in the ante-chamber, the murmur of voices, the door opened, and the prison-keeper entered, leading his charge, who presented the same untroubled calm for which he had been conspicuous while in the court room

'Your Honor," commenced the keeper, "here is'——

"Yes," interrupted M Bouchard. "I thank you, Perrin, now leave us, I will recall you in a few minutes"

As the man passed out of sight, the president closed the door and let fall the heavy drapery that masked the entrance Then turning briskly he rushed to the vagabond and, with tearful eyes, extended his hand"

'You, my poor Chabert My poor Rabelais, in this garb, in this deplorable condition"

"You recognize me?" responded the condemned in a low tone and without lowering his eyes before the gaze of the judge, who, drawing a chair beside his own, he bid him be seated His eyes still searched the face of his companion seeing some explanation for his miserable situation

'Yes, it is indeed me," replied the vagabond I, Chabert, the former companion of Louis le Grande, I the Rabelais, who held his nose in the air and was the life of every company"

The president listened with a sad smile

'My poor friend, how"——

"Speak in a lower tone," interrupted the prisoner "What if anyone should hear you. How did I reach this state of things? Great heaven! as easily and naturally as you your seat as president of the Tribunal Each one of us on this lower earth has his part to play Yours is to be president and judge mine to appear before you as a vagabond All things come and go, and one result has in point of fact little more reason to exist than the other. It is simply fate"

"Does he jest or does he philosophize?" questioned the president mentally as rising he pressed his hand to his forehead in perplexity.

"You are hungry, perhaps I will"—

'Thanks," interrupted Chabert softly "I fare well in the prison and need nothing'

'To think," continued Bouchard, resuming his seat, "that I was obliged to sentence you, my poor Chabert, whom I knew in other days as a good fellow, kind, sensitive and sensible Too sensible, doubtless," added the president with a piercing glance "oh the perpetual irony and cruelty of fate Bouchard, the judge of Chabert-Rabelais! Look, you my friend, when you uttered that last name which recalled such a host of happy memories, that name which was your passport everywhere, my heart sank within me, and I seemed almost to see before me an unhappy mad man but not Rabelais, my old friend I felt as though a thorn had pierced my heart I gazed at you earnestly and at length recognized you whom your own father, if he still lived, would scarcely have known He is dead, is he not? and your mother also, but for that you would not stood in the court room a prisoner"

"They are both dead," replied Chabert in a serious tone, "yes, they are dead and there is no one left to blush for me. Not even my wife, who will never know what has become of me"

'Your wife True, you are married, for the last proof of friendship that I received from you was the letter written to announce your marriage I remember in what enthusiastic terms you spoke marriage with Mademoiselle Diarish, one of the brilliant stars of the Theatre Francais"

The judge cast his eyes upon Chabert

"If you would find the cause, seek for a woman," he said in a low tone 'Faith, yes," replied the vagabond "Woman is the root of all evil When a man falls from the height from which I have fallen, be sure it is because he has leaned on the arm of a woman and that arm gave way"

President Bouchard dreaded to question him, fearing to hear that which he preferred not to listen to, but the unfortunate made his confession to the judge and the friend could only listen

"It was a marriage for love A marriage without love," continued Chabert "Thus coulpped, it is not possible to accomplish I simply adored my wife, but I provided ill for her wants Well she deceived me. There are those who in such a case kill themselves, some who make beasts of themselves with drink Others who turn to work. I, perhaps, suffered less, I went mad One bright day I left the house where for three years I had lived as proud and happy as a God I took nothing with me, and without turning to look behind me, I walked straight on.

'On and on I went through roads great and small, under the rays of the sun, in rain or by starlight It mattered not I saw nothing I halted at night when my feet bleeding and swollen refused to carry me farther One morning I awakened in a room in an inn where, on the night before, I had, although penniless, knocked for admission

"The inkeeper, a kindhearted man, gave me a piece of bread and wished me a prosperous tour. Where? I did not know but still tramped on my way I remember no more. I had journeyed aimlessly My hat was worn, my clothes in tatters and there was nothing in my appearance that spoke in my favor Two gendarmes who passed and saw me sitting before a ditch beckoned me to go to them, and asked me for my 'papers'

"'Papers,' the question appeared to me so odd that I laughed in their faces They on their part judging my society to be agreeable, as I thought, took me between them and escorted me to the neighboring village On the morning of the following day—Antoine-Jean—a ray of reason led me to withhold my true name—was committed for two months What shall I say? Those two months were for my moral and mental and physical condition the beginning of a complete transformation In the solitude of my cell the habit of thought returned and I dreamed Do you know of what? I will tell you Was it of the treachery of my wife, her crime? No. It was of the happiness she had given me during those three years of paradise on earth, when I had lived near her, loving her and believing myself beloved The memory of her perfidy, of my despair had fled, my thoughts did not dwell upon it for an instant This is what imprisonment did for me My two months completed, I took my stick and bundle, for like every other vagabond I now had a stick and bundle, and resumed my tour of France. When I had expended the little sum of money I had earned by working in the prison, I seated myself upon the roadside and waited for the gendarmes to pass. Again I was arrested and confinement for several months followed It has taken ten years for me to reach here Two months hence I will resume my travels."

Chabert had related his adventures deliberately, dispassionately, without a trace of anger, impatience or sadness. It was simply a recital of his experience The tone of his voice and his bearing was expressive of profound indifference.

"My dear Chabert," said the president after a brief silence as he clasped his listener's hand within his own. 'My dear Chabert, I want to save you."

The vagrant looked at him with surprise

"To save me from what?"

"From yourself and in despite of yourself, if need be,' replied Bouchard firmly and with feeling. 'The two months' imprisonment you surely understand I will not permit you to serve. Little by little Antoine-Jean is to disappear to be swallowed up in Chabert"

"Do you mean that you wish me to begin my life over again? No anything rather than that," exclaimed the vagabond rising

"My poor Bouchard," he continued in turn, clasping the hands of his companion, 'Your are good and you love me, but my worst enemy could not suggest a greater evil Do not look at me with such surprise Do not imagine that you have to do with a miserable, forsaken alien, who should be cared for and not punished I speak to you frankly when I say to you alone in this room that to me the prison is a sweet and merciful abode. There I can recall the past without thinking of the present or the future There I revel in my dear dream of other days Of that dream—my only joy you would rob"

"Never," exclaimed his listener. "Never! do you hear? I am resolute I am about to do for you what I have never before done for any man, I am going to give you clothes and money and bid you go free You shall escape through this door which leads directly upon the street I will today be guilty of this offense against the law, and tomorrow I will go to Lyons and lay your case before the court accepting the result of its decision respecting my conduct"

The vagabond listened with stern attention, his brows knit, his lips compressed and his arms folded upon his breast.

"Monsieur le President" he replied in a firm voice as Bouchard ceased speaking "I command you to have me taken to prison"

Touched by the look of grief depicted upon the face of his listener, he added gently

'I implore you"

'Be it so," responded M Bouchard in a sad voice "but at least,' he added with tenderness, 'it shall not be until I have embraced you"

"Certainly not" replied the vagabond, as he clasped his companion in his arms For a moment he held him close against his heart and both were silent then Chabert disengaged himself from the embrace, saying

"Now, Monsieur le President, do your Chabert stood, his eyes seeming to be duty" Erect, calm and submissive Chabert stood, his eyes seeming to be fixed on some far off object, while he remained silent and thoughtful.

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